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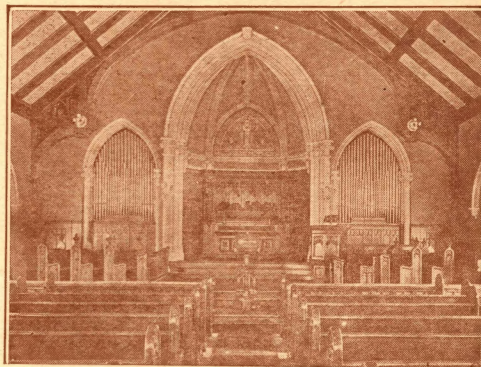
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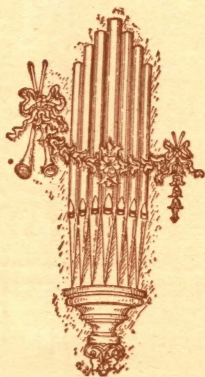
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






































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MOON'S PHASES				SYMBOLS AND ABBREVIATIONS				
 New Moon.	 First Quarter.	 Full Moon.	 Last Quarter.	 Sun.	 Mercury.	 Earth.	 Jupiter.	 Uranus.
				 Moon.	 Venus.	 Mars.	 Saturn.	 Neptune.
SIGNS OF THE ZODIAC								
 Aries, the Ram.	 Taurus, the Bull.	 Gemini, the Twins.	 Cancer, the Crab.	 Leo, the Lion.	 Virgo, the Virgin.	 Libra, the Scales.	 Scorpius, the Scorpion.	 Sagittarius, the Archer.
 Capricornus, the Goat.	 Aquarius, the Waterman.	 Pisces, the Fishes.	 Conjunction, having the same longitude or right ascension.	 Quadrature, or 90° apart.	 Opposition, or 180° apart.	 Inferior—a planet in conjunction and between the sun and the earth.	 Superior—a planet in conjunction and beyond the sun.	 Gr. Hel. Lat., greatest heliocentric latitude, a planet's greatest distance north or south of the ecliptic or sun's path.
			 Ascending node, crossing the ecliptic, south to north.	 Descending node, crossing the ecliptic or sun's path, north to south.	 Peri., Perigee, nearest the earth; or Perihelion, nearest the sun.	 Apo., Apogee, farthest from the earth.	 Aph., Aphelion, farthest from the sun.	 Moon high, or farthest north.
					 Moon low, or farthest south.	 N., North; S., South; E., East; W., West.	 m., morning; e., evening; s., sets.	

CHRONOLOGICAL ERAS AND CYCLES	Dominical Letter . . . BA	EMBER DAYS
6629 of the Julian Period.	Epact 26	March 15
5677 of the Jewish era begins at sunset, September 27th.	Golden Number . . . 17	June 14
1335 of the Mohammedan era begins October 28th.	Solar Cycle 21	September 20
January 1, 1916 is the 2,420,864th day of the Julian Period.	Roman Indiction . . . 14	December 26

MOVABLE FESTIVALS			
Septuagesima Sunday Feb. 20	Quadragesima Sunday Mar. 12	Low Sunday . . . Apr. 30	Corpus Christi . . . June 22
Sexagesima Sunday . Feb. 27	Mid-Lent Sunday . . Apr. 2	Rogation Sunday May 28	First Sunday in Advent Dec. 3
Quinquagesima Sunday Mar. 5	Palm Sunday . . . Apr. 16	Ascension Day . . June 1	Sundays after Epiphany . 6
Shrove Tuesday . . Mar. 7	Good Friday . . . Apr. 21	Whit Sunday . . June 11	Sundays after Trinity . . 19
Ash Wednesday . . Mar. 8	Easter Sunday . . . Apr. 23	Trinity Sunday . June 18	

THE FOUR SEASONS OR CARDINAL POINTS	
Vernal Equinox, Sun enters ♈ March 20th, 5:47 P.M.	Autumnal Equinox, Sun enters ♏ September 23d, 6:14 A.M.
Summer Solstice, Sun enters ♊ June 21st, 1:24 P.M.	Winter Solstice, Sun enters ♐ December 21st, 10:59 P.M.

MORNING STARS	EVENING STARS
Mercury: Feb. 20 to Apr. 14; June 5 to July 28; Oct. 5 to Nov. 23.	Mercury: Jan. 1 to Feb. 5; Apr. 14 to June 5; July 28 to Oct. 5; Nov. 23 to the end of the year.
Venus: July 3 to the end of the year.	Venus: Jan. 1 to July 3.
Mars: Jan. 1 to Feb. 9.	Mars: Feb. 9 to the end of the year.
Jupiter: Apr. 1 to Oct. 23.	Jupiter: Jan. 1 to Apr. 1; Oct. 23 to the end of the year.
Saturn: Jan. 1 to Jan. 4; July 12 to the end of the year.	Saturn: Jan. 4 to July 12.

ECLIPSES FOR THE YEAR 1916	
In this year there will be five eclipses, three of the Sun and two of the Moon.	
I. The first will be a part eclipse of the moon, Jan. 20th, visible in the United States. The circumstances are as follows: Moon enters penumbra, 10 o'clock 5 min. morning; enters shadow 2 o'clock 55 min. morning; leaves shadow, 4 o'clock 24 min. morning; leave penumbra, 6 o'clock 14 min. morning. Magnitude of the eclipse 0.137 (Moon's diameter = 1.0.)	
II. The second will be a total eclipse of the Sun, Feb. 3d, visible in the United States as a partial eclipse. The moon's shadow will first touch the earth at 9 o'clock 29 min. morning, in longitude 122° W. and latitude 7° N. It will thence pass in an easterly direction and cross S. America a short distance east of the Isthmus of Panama. Thence crossing the Atlantic Ocean it leaves the earth at a point s. w. of the British Isles in longitude 10° W. and latitude 39° N. The farther n. w. of this line the less of the Sun's disc will be covered. Along the 110th meridian the eclipse will begin at sunrise, along the Pacific coast the middle will be past by sunrise. At Washington the eclipse will begin at 10 o'clock, 3 min., 8 sec. at a point 159° 25' west of the north point of the Sun's disc. It will end at 12 o'clock, 0 min., 37 sec. at a point 96° 40' east of the north point of the Sun's disc. These times will vary for other localities according to the latitude and longitude.	
III. The third will be a partial eclipse of the moon, July 14th, visible in the United States. The circumstances are as follows: Moon enters penumbra 9 o'clock, 18 m. evening; enters shadow, 10 o'clock, 19 min. evening; leaves shadow 15th 1 o'clock, 13 min. morning; leaves penumbra 2 o'clock, 14 min. morning. Magnitude of the eclipse, 0.800 (Moon's diameter = 1.0.)	
IV. The fourth will be an annular eclipse of the Sun, July 29th, invisible in the United States, visible in Australia.	
V. The fifth will be a small partial eclipse of the Sun Dec. 24th, invisible in the United States. .01 of the Sun's diameter will be covered.	

The calculations for this almanac have been carefully made for the latitude of Philadelphia, and are expressed in Eastern Standard Time. For places keeping standard time, but which are not on the standard meridian the following rule applies: When the place is west of the 75th meridian, add in the proportion of four minutes for each degree of difference of longitude; for places east, subtract. For moon's phases, eclipses, equinoxes, and solstices, simply reduce from Eastern Standard, to Central, or whatever other standard is in use.

A. THOS. G. APPLE.

JANUARY

1st Month, 31 Days

1916

Weeks and Days	Remarkable Days	Daily Bible Lessons	Moon		Moon's Place S. D.	Aspects of Planets, etc.	Sun		
			Pass. Merid. A. M.	Rises A. M.			Rises A. M.	Pass. Merid. P. M.	Sets P. M.
Sat.	1 New Year's Day	1 Pet 2:12-19	8 22	3 27	☾ 14	♀ gr. Hel. Lat. S. ♂ sta.	7 22	12 34	45
1] 2d Sunday after Christmas			Luke 2: 33-40; Rom. 6: 12-18.			Length of Day, 9 hrs., 24 min. Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 38 min.			
Sun.	2 Abel, Seth	Lk. 2:40-52	9 21	4 43	☾ 29	☉ in perihel. ♀ gr. H. L. S	7 22	12 44	46
Mon.	3 Enoch	Jn. 1:38-51	10 27	5 56	☾ 14	♂ r. 4 47 e. ♀ r. 6 15 e. ☾	7 22	12 44	47
Tues.	4 Titus	" 2:	11 34	7 2	☾ 29	♂ 8 2 ☾ ☉ in peri.	7 22	12 44	47
Wed.	5 Noah	" 3:	p. m. 12 39	sets 5 29 p. m.	☾ 14	♂ 8 19 e. ♀ S. 1° 7' ☉	7 22	12 54	48
Thur.	6 Epiphany	" 4:	1 39	6 49	☾ 29	♂ 8 19 e. ♀ S. 1° 7' ☉	7 22	12 64	49
Fri.	7 Jacob Andreae, 1590	" 5:	2 33	8 5	☾ 14	♂ 8 19 e. ♀ S. 1° 7' ☉	7 22	12 64	50
Sat.	8 Methuselah	" 6:1-25	3 23	9 17	☾ 28	Denebola rises 9 38 e.	7 22	12 64	51
2] 1st Sunday after Epiphany			Luke 2: 41-52; Rom. 12: 1-5. (Matt. 3: 13-17; Rom. 6: 3-11.)			Length of Day, 9 hrs., 30 min. Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 37 min.			
Sun.	9 Shem	Jn. 6:26-71	4 10	10 25	☾ 12	☾ sets 10 18 e.	7 22	12 74	52
Mon.	10 Matthaues Zell, 1548	" 7:	4 54	11 31	☾ 26	♂ 8 2 ☉ ☉ gr. lib. W.	7 22	12 74	53
Tues.	11 Fructuosus, c. 670	" 8:1-20	5 38	a. m.	☾ 9	♂ 8 50 e. ♀ sets 8 50 e.	7 21	12 84	54
Wed.	12 Hilary of Poitiers, 367	" 8:21-50	6 23	12 35	☾ 22	Capella South 9 45 e.	7 21	12 84	55
Thur.	13 Remigius of Rheims, 533	" 9:	7 9	1 38	☾ 4	♂ rises 7 42 e. ☉ gr. lib. S.	7 21	12 94	56
Fri.	14 Judah, the Patriarch	" 10:1-21	7 56	2 41	☾ 16	Rigel South 9 37 e.	7 21	12 94	57
Sat.	15 John a Lasco, 1560	" 10:22-42	8 46	3 42	☾ 28	♀ sets 7 27 e.	7 20	12 94	58
3] 2d Sunday after Epiphany			John 2: 1-11; Rom. 12: 6-16. (Luke 4: 1-13; Heb. 2: 14-18.)			Length of Day, 9 hrs., 39 min. Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 36 min.			
Sun.	16 George Spalatine, 1545	Mk. 1:1-20	9 36	4 40	☾ 10	♂ South 11 19 e.	7 20	12 104	59
Mon.	17 Benj. Franklin, b. 1706	" 1:21-45	10 27	5 33	☾ 22	♂ 8 15' ☉ in apo. ☾	7 20	12 105	0
Tues.	18 Anthony, 356	" 2:	11 17	6 19	☾ 4	♂ 8 2 ☉ ♀ sets 6 32 e.	7 19	12 105	1
Wed.	19 Heidel. Catechism, 1563	" 3:1-19	a. m.	6 59	☾ 16	☉ gr. elong. E. 18° 40'	7 19	12 115	3
Thur.	20 Hans Sachs, 1576	" 3:20-35	12 5	rises 5 52 p. m.	☾ 28	☉ par. ecl. vis. ☉	7 18	12 115	4
Fri.	21 Agnes, c. 304	" 4:	12 51	6 35	☾ 10	♂ in ☉ ♀ sets 6 35 e.	7 18	12 115	5
Sat.	22 Sarah	" 5:1-6:16	1 36	7 38	☾ 22	♂ 8 2 ☉ ♂ r. 6 55 e.	7 17	12 125	6
4] 3d Sunday after Epiphany			Matt. 8: 1-13; Rom. 12: 17-21. (Mark. 1: 14-22; 1 Cor. 1: 17-25.)			Length of Day, 9 hrs., 51 min. Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 35 min.			
Sun.	23 Isaiah, the Prophet	Mk. 6:7-29	2 19	8 41	☾ 4	Bellatrix South 9 12 e.	7 16	12 125	7
Mon.	24 Henry Suso, 1365	" 6:30-56	3 1	9 45	☾ 17	Betelgeux South 9 38 e.	7 16	12 125	9
Tues.	25 Paul's Conversion, c. 36	" 7:1-23	3 44	10 50	☾ 0	☉ sets 9 29 e. ☉ gr. lib. E.	7 15	12 125	10
Wed.	26 Polycarp, 155 or 167	" 7:24-37	4 29	11 58	☾ 13	♂ in peri. ♀ station'y.	7 14	12 135	11
Thur.	27 Tertullian, c. 220	" 8:	5 17	a. m.	☾ 26	☉ gr. libration N.	7 13	12 135	12
Fri.	28 Charlemagne, 814	" 9:	6 9	1 10	☾ 10	♀ sets 7 57 e.	7 12	12 135	13
Sat.	29 Eusebius, 340	" 10:1-31	7 6	2 23	☾ 24	♂ South 10 24 e.	7 12	12 135	15
5] 4th Sunday after Epiphany			Matt. 8: 23-27; Rom. 13: 1-7. (Luke 4: 14-24; 2 Cor. 4: 1-6.)			Length of Day, 10 hrs., 5 min. Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 34 min.			
Sun.	30 Lactantius, c. 330	Mt. 3:	8 8	3 36	☾ 9	Markab sets 9 20 e.	7 11	12 135	16
Mon.	31 Fabian (250). Sebas. (287)	" 4:1-22	9 12	4 43	☾ 23	Deneb. sets 9 56 e.	7 10	12 135	17

(♂) Saturn is in opposition with the Sun on the 4th and shines all night.
(♀) Neptune is in opposition with the Sun on the 22d and shines all night.

MOON'S PHASES

New Moon..... 4th, 11 o'clock, 45 min., evening.
First Quarter..... 11th, 10 o'clock, 38 min., evening.
Full Moon 20th, 3 o'clock, 29 min., morning.
Last Quarter..... 27th, 7 o'clock, 35 min., evening.

FOREWORD

The ALMANAC AND YEAR BOOK enjoys the distinction of having the largest circulation of any publication of the Reformed Church. This means that it gets into more homes than any one of our other periodicals. With a circulation of 44,000, the ALMANAC AND YEAR BOOK is an influential organ among our people and challenges the editor's best efforts. The number of pages unfortunately is not sufficient to give detailed information commensurate with the importance of the work of the Church and, for the present, we must be content with information more or less general in character. We have hopes, however, of a more elaborate ALMANAC AND YEAR BOOK for the Reformed Church, a volume more in keeping with the times and standing of our denomination. The only hindrance is the cost and if we could persuade the 44,000 persons who purchase the ALMANAC AND YEAR BOOK of the real need of enlargement, the problem for us would be very easy of solution.



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DENOMINATIONAL STATISTICS

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One of the valuable features of the ALMANAC AND YEAR BOOK is the compendium of statistics found in the latter pages. The publication of these figures is always awaited with great interest by all who have at heart the welfare of the Church. It is encouraging to note that the record of the past year is noteworthy for the largest benevolent offerings in

our history and for the largest net gain in membership since the year 1905-06. The number of communicants is 320,459, a net gain of 7799. The contributions for benevolent purposes amount to \$680,450. Last year fears were expressed that, owing to the large increase in benevolent offerings, it would be difficult to maintain this high standard and practically impossible to surpass it within the next few years. What an inspiration it ought to prove to our

people to know that the offerings for benevolence exceed those of last year by \$86,316 and that the membership of the Reformed Church is nearly 8000 greater. An interesting item is that of the offerings for congregational purposes. Last year our people gave \$2,161,410, or \$90,684 more than the year previous; the past year, \$2,201,545, only \$40,135 more than last year. This may be considered as favorable; it certainly indicates a healthy, spiritual condition.

Sunday Schools

This past year there were 29,197 persons engaged as officers and teachers in the Sunday Schools of the Reformed Church, a net gain of 812. Last year's statistics show a total enrollment of scholars of 287,668

as compared with 307,794 for the past twelve months, a net gain of 20,126. This is a fine record and furnishes a sound basis of future growth of our church membership.








GENERAL STATISTICS

Last year's church statistics are gratifying if not ideal. The report of the Federal Council says: "The religious bodies of the United States have no cause

FEBRUARY

2d Month, 29 Days

1916

Weeks and Days	Remarkable Days	Daily Bible Lessons	Moon		Moon's Place S. D.	Aspects of Planets, etc.	Sun		
			Pass. Merid. A. M.	Rises A. M.			Rises A. M.	Pass. Merid. P. M.	Sets P. M.
Tues.	1 Mathieu Desubas, 1746	Mt.4 23-5:12	10 17	5 40	 7	h South 10 11 e. ☾ in peri.	7 9	12 14	5 18
Wed.	2 Purification of Virgin	" 5:13-32	11 19	6 27	 22	 22 [♂♂♂ ♂♂♂ ♂♂♂♂	7 8	12 14	5 19
Thur.	3 Ansgar, 865	" 5:33-48	p. m. 12 16	sets 5 36 p.m.	 7	 3 ☾ ecl. visible. ☿	7 7	12 14	5 21
Fri.	4 Veronica	" 6:	1 9	6 51	 22	Sirius South 9 45 e.	7 6	12 14	5 22
Sat.	5 Philip J. Spener, 1705	" 7:	1 58	8 3	 6	♂♂♂ Inf. ♂♂♂♂ ♂ gr. H. Lat. N.	7 5	12 14	5 23

6] 5th Sunday after Epiphany

Matt. 13: 24-30; Col. 3: 12-17.
(Matt. 13: 1-9; 1 Peter 1: 22-25.)Length of Day, 10 hrs., 20 min.
Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 33 min.

Sun.	6 Job	Mt.3:1-17	2 45	9 12	☾ 20	☾ 20 ☾ ☾ ☾ sets 8 16 e.	☾ 20	7 4	12 14	5 24
Mon.	7 Minucius Felix, 3d cent.	" 8:18-34	3 30	10 19	☾ 4	☾ 4 gr. Hel. L.N. ☾ gr. lib. W.	☾ 4	7 3	12 14	5 25
Tues.	8 King Solomon	" 9:	4 16	11 25	☾ 17	☾ 17 sets 8 48 e.	☾ 17	7 2	12 14	5 26
Wed.	9 Bishop Hooper, 1555	" 10:	5 2 a. m.	☾ 0	☾ 0	☾ 0 ☾ ☾ S. 12 33 m. ☾ gr. l. S.	☾ 0	7 1	12 14	5 28
Thur.	10 F. C. Oettinger, 1782	" 11:	5 50	12 29	☾ 12	☾ 12 10 Arcturus r. 9 38 e.	☾ 12	7 0	12 14	5 29
Fri.	11 Benj. Schmolck, 1737	" 12:	6 39	1 32	☾ 25	☾ 25 Castor South 10 4 e.	☾ 25	6 59	12 14	5 30
Sat.	12 Lincoln, b. 1809	" 13:	7 30	2 32	☾ 7	☾ 7 Procyon South 10 7 e.	☾ 7	6 58	12 14	5 31

7] 6th Sunday after Epiphany

Matt. 17: 1-9; 1 John 3: 1-10.
(Matt. 13: 44-52; 1 Peter 2: 1-10.)Length of Day, 10 hrs., 36 min.
Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 32 min.

Sun.	13 Lady Jane Grey, 1554	Mt.14:	8 21	3 26	☾ 19	☾ 19 ☾ ☾ ☾ N. 0° 27' ☾ in apo.	☾ 19	6 56	12 14	5 32
Mon.	14 Valentine, 270	" 15:	9 11	4 15	☾ 0	☾ 0 h ☾ h South 9 17 e.	☾ 0	6 55	12 14	5 34
Tues.	15 Bruno (Bonifacius), 1009	" 16:	10 0	4 57	☾ 12	☾ 12 Pollux South 10 1 e.	☾ 12	6 54	12 14	5 35
Wed.	16 C. F. Schwartz, 1798	" 17:	10 47	5 33	☾ 24	☾ 24 ☾ ☾ ☾ sets 8 40 e.	☾ 24	6 53	12 14	5 36
Thur.	17 Pamphilus, 309	" 18:	11 32	6 3	☾ 6	☾ 6 ☾ stationary.	☾ 6	6 51	12 14	5 37
Fri.	18 Martin Luther, 1546	" 19:	a. m.	sets 5 29 p.m.	☾ 18	☾ 18 ☾ ☾ ☾ S. 11 38 e.	☾ 18	6 50	12 14	5 38
Sat.	19 Mesrob, 441	" 20:1-16	12 16	6 32	☾ 1	☾ 1 sets 7 17 e. ☾ S. 10 17 e.	☾ 1	6 49	12 14	5 39

8] Septuagesima Sunday

Matt. 20: 1-16; 1 Cor. 9: 24-10: 5.
(Matt. 14: 22-33; Rom. 8: 31-39.)Length of Day, 10 hrs., 52 min.
Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 31 min.

Sun.	20 John Heerman, 1647	Lk.3:	1 0	7 36	☾ 13	☾ 13 Spica rises 9 54 e.	☾ 13	6 48	12 14	5 40
Mon.	21 Rebekah	" 4:	1 43	8 42	☾ 26	☾ 26 ☾ rises 6 11 m. ☾ gr. lib. E.	☾ 26	6 46	12 14	5 41
Tues.	22 Washington, b. 1732	" 5:	2 28	9 50	☾ 9	☾ 9 Deneb. sets 8 30 e.	☾ 9	6 45	12 14	5 43
Wed.	23 Amandus	" 6:1-19	3 15	11 0	☾ 23	☾ 23 Rigel South 7 0 e.	☾ 23	6 43	12 14	5 44
Thur.	24 Matthias	" 6:20-49	4 6 a. m.	☾ 6	☾ 6	☾ 6 h South 8 36 e. ☾ gr. lib. N.	☾ 6	6 42	12 13	5 45
Fri.	25 Berthold Haller, 1636	" 7:	5 0	12 11	☾ 20	☾ 20 Capella South 6 53 e.	☾ 20	6 41	12 13	5 46
Sat.	26 Zechariah, the Prophet	" 8:	5 59	1 24	☾ 4	☾ 4 ☾ ☾ ☾ in ☾ ☾ sets 9 1 e.	☾ 4	6 39	12 13	5 47

9] Sexagesima Sunday

Luke 8: 4-15; 2 Cor. 11: 19-12: 9.
(John 10: 1-18; 1 Peter 2: 17-25.)Length of Day, 11 hrs., 10 min.
Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 31 min.

Sun.	27 Martin Bucer, 1551	Lk.9:1-36	7 1	2 31	☾ 18	☾ 18 ☾ South 10 51 e.	☾ 18	6 38	12 13	5 48
Mon.	28 Pat. Hamilton, 1528	" 9:37-62	8 3	3 31	☾ 2	☾ 2 sets 8 9 e.	☾ 2	6 36	12 13	5 49
Tues.	29 Intercalary Day	" 10:	9 4	4 20	☾ 17	☾ 17 ☾ in ☾ ☾ r. 5 27 m. ☾ in peri.	☾ 17	6 35	12 13	5 50

Mercury (☿) is in inferior conjunction with the Sun on the 5th and passes from evening to morning star.

Uranus (♅) is in conjunction with the Sun on the 5th and cannot be seen.

Mars (♂) is in opposition with the Sun on the 9th and shines all night.

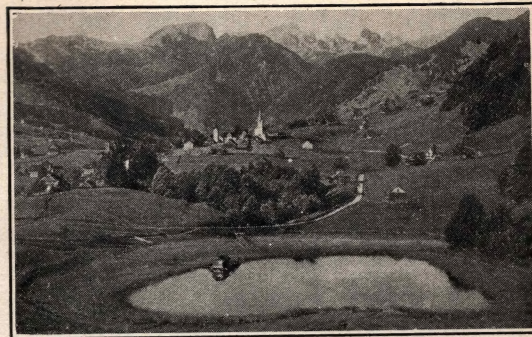
MOON'S PHASES

New Moon..... 3d, 11 o'clock, 6 min. morning.
 First Quarter..... 10th, 5 o'clock, 20 min. evening.
 Full Moon..... 18th, 9 o'clock, 29 min. evening.
 Last Quarter..... 26th, 4 o'clock, 24 min. morning.

to be discouraged over the results of the year 1914. The new communicants or members added made good all the losses by death, expulsion or withdrawal, and left a surplus of nearly three-quarters of a million. That is, the total membership is 763,078 greater than it was in 1913. This is an average increase of two per cent, for all bodies great and small, Christian and non-Christian. Elaborate statistical tables prepared by Dr. H. K. Carroll, and issued by the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, show in detail the gains and losses of the year."

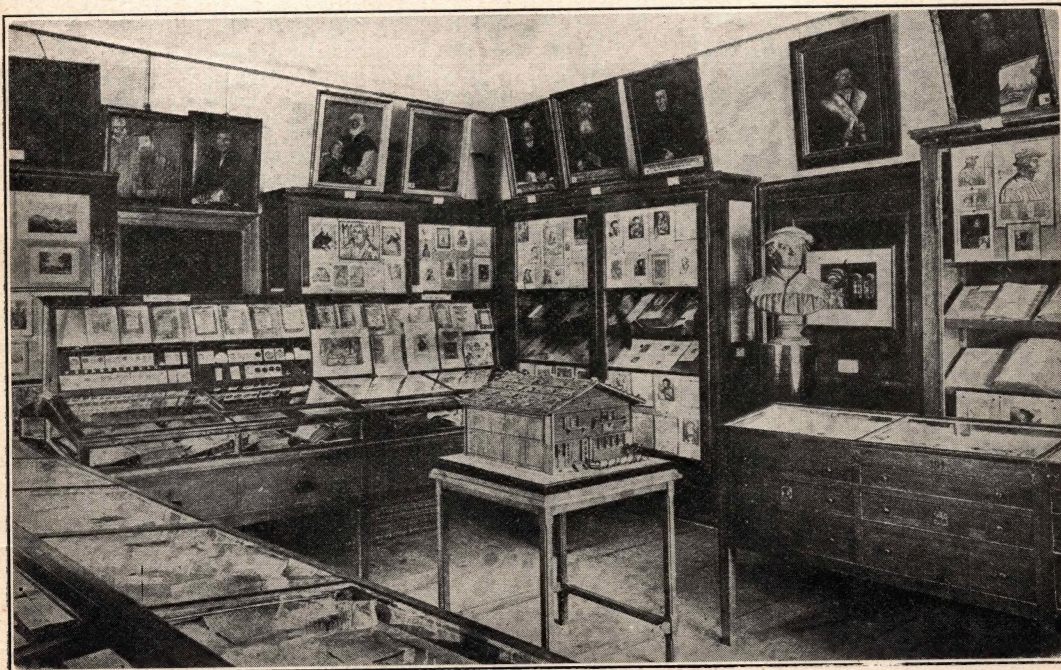
The grand total of members is now 38,708,149. All the larger denominations share in the increase. Baptists gained 122,125; Eastern Orthodox Churches, 36,500; the Roman Catholic Church, 136,850; the Lutherans, 56,248; the German Evangelical Synod, representing the State Church of Prussia, 29,315; the Methodist, 231,460; the Presbyterians, 56,019; the Protestant Episcopal Church, 28,641.

There is a total of 175,685 Sunday Schools in the United States and Canada, with 16,750,297 scholars and 1,690,739 officers and teachers, or nearly 18,500,000 in the Sunday School army. Of these schools, nearly three-fourths are in the rural districts, and



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JANUARY 1, 1484

doubtless the larger number of the teachers even in the city schools come from the rural churches, as do the preachers and missionaries. It might be pertinent to raise the question as to whether the magnificent international and the various State and other organizations, now numbering scores, give a proportionate amount of time to the peculiar problems of the rural school as compared with the town and city school.



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MARCH

3d Month, 31 Days

1916

Weeks and Days	Remarkable Days	Daily Bible Lessons	Moon		Moon's Place S. D.	Aspects of Planets, etc.	Sun		
			Pass. Merid.	Rises			Rises	Pass. Merid.	Sets
			A. M.	A. M.			A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Wed.	1 George Wishart, 1546	Lk. 11:1-36	10 2	5 0	♌ 1	♌ gr. el. W. 27° 6' ♌ ☾ ☾	6 33	12 12	5 52
Thur.	2 John Wesley, 1791	" 11:37-12:12	10 55	5 34	♌ 16	♌ ☾ ☾ ☾ South 88 e.	6 32	12 12	5 53
Fri.	3 Fridolin	" 12:13-59	11 46	6 3	♌ 0	♌ ☾ ☾ ☾ rises 5 25 m.	6 30	12 12	5 54
Sat.	4 Florian, 305	" 13:1-21	p. m. 12 33	sets 6 49 p. m.	♌ 14	♌ ☾ ☾ ☾ South 0° 8'	6 29	12 12	5 55
10] Quinquagesima Sunday			Luke 18: 31-43; 1 Cor. 13: 1-13. (Matt. 16: 21-23; 1 Peter 4: 12-19.)			Length of Day, 11 hrs., 29 min. Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 31 min.			
Sun.	5 Perpetua	Lk. 13:22-35	1 20	7 58	♌ 28	♌ ☾ ☾ ☾ sets 7 35 e.	6 27	12 12	5 56
Mon.	6 Zach. Ursinus, 1583	" 14:	2 6	9 5	♌ 12	Mira sets 9 10 e. ☾ gr. lib. W.	6 26	12 11	5 57
Tues.	7 Shrove Tuesday	" 15:	2 53	10 12	♌ 25	♌ ☾ ☾ ☾ sets 9 22 e.	6 24	12 11	5 58
Wed.	8 Ash Wednesday	" 16:	3 41	11 17	♌ 8	♌ S. 10 2 e. ☾ gr. lib. S.	6 23	12 11	5 59
Thur.	9 Thos. Aquinas, 1274	" 17:1-19	4 31	a. m.	♌ 21	♌ in aphelion.	6 21	12 11	6 0
Fri.	10 Methodius and Cyril	" 17:20-37	5 21	12 19	♌ 3	♌ Alpheratz sets 8 45 e.	6 19	12 10	6 1
Sat.	11 Alex. of Hales, 1245	" 18:1-30	6 12	1 16	♌ 15	♌ 11 h sta. ☾ gr. H. L. S. ☾	6 18	12 10	6 2
11] 1st Sunday in Lent			Matt. 4: 1-11; 2 Cor. 6: 1-10. (Matt. 6: 1-21; Eph. 6: 10-20.)			Length of Day, 11 hrs., 47 min. Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 32 min.			
Sun.	12 Gregory the Great, 604	Lk. 18:31-19:28	7 3	2 8	♌ 27	♌ sets 7 16 e. ☾ in apo.	6 16	12 10	6 3
Mon.	13 Master Eckhart, 1329	" 19:29-20:18	7 52	2 53	♌ 8	♌ h ☾ ☾ in aphelion.	6 15	12 10	6 4
Tues.	14 Queen Esther	" 20:19-21:4	8 40	3 31	♌ 29	♌ ☾ ☾ ☾ h South 7 20 e.	6 13	12 9	6 5
Wed.	15 Casp. Olevianus, 1587	" 21:5-35	9 26	4 3	♌ 1	♌ ☾ ☾ ☾ South 9 31 e. ☾	6 12	12 9	6 7
Thur.	16 John of Goch, 1475	" 22:1-30	10 11	4 31	♌ 14	♌ ☾ sets 9 41 e. ☾ S. 8 32 e.	6 10	12 9	6 8
Fri.	17 Patrick, c. 465	" 22:31-71	10 54	4 57	♌ 26	♌ Regulus South 10 22 e.	6 8	12 8	6 9
Sat.	18 Zacchaeus	" 23:	11 38	5 20	♌ 9	♌ Vega rises 9 53 e.	6 7	12 8	6 10
12] 2d Sunday in Lent			Matt. 15: 21-28; 1 Thess. 4: 1-8. (Luke 11: 29-36; Heb. 2: 1-4.)			Length of Day, 12 hrs., 6 min. Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 33 min.			
Sun.	19 Geo. Calixtus, 1656	Mk. 10:32-52	a. m.	rises 6 29 p. m.	♌ 22	♌ 19 ☾ s. 6 57 e. ☾ gr. lib. E	6 5	12 8	6 11
Mon.	20 Joseph (husband of Mary)	" 11:	12 28	7 38	♌ 5	♌ ☾ ent. ☾ Spring com.	6 3	12 8	6 12
Tues.	21 Archb. Cranmer, 1556	" 12:	1 11	8 49	♌ 19	♌ Arcturus rises 7 1 e.	6 2	12 7	6 13
Wed.	22 Bruder Klaus, 1487	" 13:	2 110	2	♌ 3	♌ ☾ stationary. ☾ gr. lib. N.	6 0	12 7	6 14
Thur.	23 Bartimaeus	" 14:1-54	2 55	11 15	♌ 17	♌ Sirius South 6 37 e.	5 59	12 7	6 15
Fri.	24 Daniel, the Prophet	" 14:55-15:15	3 54	a. m.	♌ 1	♌ Bellatrix South 5 12 e.	5 57	12 6	6 16
Sat.	25 Annuncia. Virgin Mary	" 15:16-45	4 55	12 24	♌ 15	♌ ☾ South 8 51 e.	5 55	12 6	6 17
13] 3d Sunday in Lent			Luke 11: 14-28; Eph. 5: 1-9. (Matt. 12: 22-32; Heb. 10: 26-31.)			Length of Day, 12 hrs., 24 min. Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 34 min.			
Sun.	26 Shepherd of Hermas	Mk. 20:17-33	5 57	1 25	♌ 29	♌ 26 ☾ S. 10 2 e. ☾ in peri	5 54	12 6	6 18
Mon.	27 40 Martyrs of Sebaste, 320	" 21:	6 57	2 17	♌ 13	♌ Castor South 7 19 e. ☾	5 52	12 5	6 19
Tues.	28 C. F. Schmid, 1852	" 22:	7 54	2 59	♌ 28	♌ ☾ rises 3 54 m.	5 50	12 5	6 20
Wed.	29 Eustathius	" 23:	8 48	3 34	♌ 12	♌ ☾ ☾ ☾ h South 6 23 e.	5 49	12 5	6 21
Thur.	30 Martha and Mary	" 24:1-31	9 38	4 3	♌ 26	♌ ☾ gr. Hel. L. S. ☾ h ☾	5 47	12 5	6 22
Fri.	31 Timothy	" 24:32-51	10 25	4 30	♌ 9	♌ ☾ in perihelion.	5 46	12 4	6 23

MOON'S PHASES

New Moon..... 3d, 10 o'clock, 58 min. evening.
 First Quarter..... 11th, 1 o'clock, 33 min. afternoon.
 Full Moon..... 19th, 12 o'clock, 27 min. afternoon.
 Last Quarter..... 26th, 11 o'clock, 22 min. morning.

ANNIVERSARIES OF GREAT EVENTS



There are about 1,500,000,000 people in the world today. Of that number, a little more than one-half, or about 800,000,000 are pagans and only a small fringe of that great number have had as yet a full and fair opportunity to know Jesus Christ. There are about 200,000,000 Mohammedans and most of these have not heard the Gospel. There are about 800,000,000 Jews, and comparatively few of these know enough about Jesus Christ to accept Him as a Saviour. There are about 225,000,000 Roman Catholics, and the masses of these in certain lands have an entirely inadequate conception of the real person and saving work of Jesus Christ. Of the Greek Church and other such Christian communions there are about 120,000,000. All the Protestant Christians, the great working force of the Church, number about 150,000,000. The whole creation has not yet had a full and fair chance to know Jesus Christ as a Saviour.

It is our custom to call the attention of our people, through the columns of the ALMANAC AND YEAR BOOK, to the anniversaries of events of historic interest to members of the Reformed Church. Our Church received a rich inheritance from great men of the Reformation period and we look back with pride to these men of sterling qualities and heroic faith.

First in importance, we mention Ulrich Zwingli in connection with the 400th anniversary of the Reformation. There are those who will tell us that we are celebrating this great event a year too soon, but Zwingli said he began preaching the Gospel in 1516. Associated with the earlier years of this period is Thomas Wittenbach, who it is said inspired the Reformation.

Second, the 350th anniversary of the Defence of the Heidelberg Catechism by Elector Frederick III of the Palatinate before the Diet of Augsburg, May 14, 1566. Two years ago we celebrated the 350th anniversary of the Heidelberg Catechism. The defence of our Confession of Faith by Elector Frederick III was one of the most important and dramatic scenes in our history and we, therefore, note the anniversary.

The year 1916 is also noted by Christians as the 500th anniversary of the martyrdom of Jerome of Prague. Last year the Protestant Church observed the 500th anniversary of the martyrdom of John Huss; this year that of his co-Reformer.

For the pictures illustrating these interesting events we are indebted to Rev. James I. Good, D.D. For the information of our readers, the following descriptive titles of the pictures are given in the order in which they appear:

Ulrich Zwingli.—The founder of the Reformed Church, born January 1, 1484, died October 11, 1531. He was a scholar, a theologian, an orator, a patriot, a musician, but above all, a Christian and a reformer.

Wildhaus, the place of Zwingli's birth.—This is one of the most beautiful places in Switzerland. Jackson, in his "Life of Zwingli," says, "As Zwingli stood on his father's doorstep he could see the seven jagged peaks of the Churfirsten across the narrow valley, and if he turned to go to the high road, he came almost under the shadow of the Sentis, both ranges being snow-capped even in summer."

The Zwinglian Museum, at Zurich, contains many historic treasures. We include a picture of the in-

APRIL

4th Month, 30 Days

1916

Weeks and Days	Remarkable Days	Daily Bible Lessons	Moon		Moon's Place S. D.	Aspects of Planets, etc.	Sun		
			Pass. Merid. A. M. A. M.	Rises			Rises	Pass. Merid. A. M. P. M. P. M.	Sets
Sat. 1	Jno. J. Breitingen	Mt. 25:	11 12	5 5	♌ 23	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 44	12 46	24
14] 4th Sunday in Lent			John 6: 1-14; Gal. 4: 21-31. (John 6: 47-59; 1 John 5: 11-21.)			Length of Day, 12 hrs., 43 min. Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 36 min.			
Sun. 2	Ger. Tersteegen, 1769	Mt. 26:1-13	11 57	5 18	♌ 7	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 42	12 46	25
Mon. 3	Ambrose, 397	" 26:14-35	p. m. 12 44	sets 7 54 p.m.	♌ 20	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 41	12 36	26
Tues. 4	Pierre Viret, 1571	" 26:36-56	1 32	9 0	♌ 3	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 39	12 36	27
Wed. 5	Christian Scriver, 1693	" 26:57-27:2	2 21	10 4	♌ 16	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 38	12 36	28
Thur. 6	Fred. Myconius, 1546	" 27:3-31	3 12	11 4	♌ 28	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 36	12 26	29
Fri. 7	Mar. Chemnitz, 1586	" 27:32-50	4 31	11 59	♌ 10	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 34	12 26	30
Sat. 8	Thomas v. Westen, 1727	" 27:51-66	4 54	a. m.	♌ 22	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 33	12 26	31
15] Passion Week			John 8: 46-59; Heb. 9: 11-15. (John 12: 20-32; 2 Cor. 5: 14-21.)			Length of Day, 13 hrs., 1 min. Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 38 min.			
Sun. 9	Passion Sunday	Jn. 11:	5 44	12 46	♌ 4	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 31	12 26	32
Mon. 10	Fulbert of Ch. 1029	" 12:	6 32	1 27	♌ 16	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 30	12 16	33
Tues. 11	Leo the Great, 461	" 13:1-30	7 18	2 1	♌ 28	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 28	12 16	34
Wed. 12	Aaron, the High Priest	" 31:14-31	8 3	2 31	♌ 10	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 27	12 16	35
Thur. 13	Jacob, the Patriarch	" 15:	8 47	2 57	♌ 22	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 25	12 16	36
Fri. 14	Simon Dach, 1659	" 16:	9 30	3 21	♌ 5	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 24	12 06	37
Sat. 15	Lambert of Avig., 1530	" 17:	10 15	3 45	♌ 18	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 22	12 06	38
16] Holy Week			John 12: 1-16; Phil. 2: 5-10. (Luke 19: 23-46; Rev. 1: 4-8.)			Length of Day, 13 hrs., 18 min. Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 40 min.			
Sun. 16	Palm Sunday	Lamentations	11 2	4 9	♌ 1	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 21	12 06	39
Mon. 17	Louis de Berquin, 1529	Heb. 8:	11 52	6 3 p.m.	♌ 14	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 19	a. m.	40
Tues. 18	Luther at Worms	" 9:	a. m.	7 43	♌ 28	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 18	11 59	41
Wed. 19	Melanchthon, 1560	" 10:	12 45	8 59	♌ 12	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 16	11 59	42
Thur. 20	Maundy Thursday	Jn. 6:	1 44	10 12	♌ 26	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 15	11 59	43
Fri. 21	Good Friday	Lk. 23:32-49	2 46	11 18	♌ 11	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 13	11 59	44
Sat. 22	Holy Saturday	Heb. 4:	3 50	a. m.	♌ 26	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 12	11 58	45
17] Easter Sunday			John 20: 1-10; Col. 3: 1-11. (Matt. 28: 1-10; 1 Cor. 15: 1-20.)			Length of Day, 13 hrs., 36 min. Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 44 min.			
Sun. 23	Easter Sunday	Mt. 28:	4 52	12 14	♌ 11	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 10	11 58	46
Mon. 24	John Bugenhagen, 1558	Lk. 24:1-12	5 50	12 59	♌ 25	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 9	11 58	47
Tues. 25	Anselm of Can., 1109	Acts 2:22-47	6 44	1 36	♌ 9	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 8	11 58	48
Wed. 26	Origen, c. 254	1 Cor. 15:	7 35	2 6	♌ 23	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 6	11 58	49
Thur. 27	George of Cappado., 361	Rom. 6:	8 22	2 33	♌ 7	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 5	11 58	50
Fri. 28	Wolfgang Capito, 1541	" 8:	9 8	2 58	♌ 20	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 4	11 57	51
Sat. 29	Mark, the Evangelist	1 Cor. 3:	9 53	3 22	♌ 3	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 2	11 57	52
18] 1st Sunday after Easter			John 20: 19-31; 1 John 5: 4-12. (Luke 24: 36-47; 2 Tim. 2: 7-13.)			Length of Day, 13 hrs., 52 min. Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 48 min.			
Sun. 30	Meletius, 381	Jn. 1:	10 38	3 47	♌ 16	♌ ♌ ☉ ♌ ♌ ☾	5 1	11 57	53

Jupiter (♃) is in conjunction with the Sun on the 1st and cannot be seen.

Mercury (☿) is in superior conjunction with the Sun on the 14th and passes from morning to evening star.

MOON'S PHASES

New Moon..... 2d, 11 o'clock, 21 min., morning.
 First Quarter..... 10th, 9 o'clock, 36 min., morning.
 Full Moon..... 18th, 12 o'clock, 8 min., morning.
 Last Quarter..... 24th, 5 o'clock, 38 min., morning.



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MAY

5th Month, 31 Days

1916

Weeks and Days	Remarkable Days	Daily Bible Lessons	Moon		Moon's Place S. D.	Aspects of Planets, etc.	Sun		
			Pass. Merid.	Rises			Rises	Pass. Merid.	Sets
			A. M.	A. M.			A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Mon.	1 Philip and James	Jn. 2:	11 25	4 9	♌ 29	♂ s. 156 m. ☾ gr. 1. S.	5 0	11 57	6 54
Tues.	2 Athanasius, 373	" 3:	p. m. 12 14	sets 7 50 p. m.	♌ 12	♂ 2 Bellatrix sets 9 4 e.	4 59	11 57	6 55
Wed.	3 Nicolas de Clemanges	" 4:	1 4	8 54	♌ 24	♀ gr. Hel. Lat. N. ♂ ♄ ☾	4 57	11 57	6 56
Thur.	4 Monica, 387	" 5:	1 55	9 49	♌ 6	Antares rises 9 7 e.	4 56	11 57	6 57
Fri.	5 Fred'k the Wise, 1525	" 6:1-40	2 47	10 40	♌ 18	Algol sets 9 20 e.	4 55	11 57	6 58
Sat.	6 John of Damascus, c. 770	" 6:41-71	3 37	11 23	♌ 0	♂ ♀ ☾ ♄ sets 10 49 e.	4 54	11 57	6 59
19] 2d Sunday after Easter			John 10: 11-16; 1 Peter 2: 20-25. (John 21: 15-19; Rev. 7: 13-17.)				Length of Day, 14 hrs., 7 min. Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 50 min.		
Sun.	7 Silas	Jn. 7:	4 26	11 59	♌ 12	♂ ♄ ☾ ♄ sets 11 20 e. ☾ in apo	4 53	11 56	7 0
Mon.	8 Gregory Nazianzen, 389	" 8:1-30	5 12	a. m.	♌ 24	♂ ♄ ☾ ♄ rises 3 47 m. ☾	4 52	11 56	7 1
Tues.	9 Zinzendorf, 1760	" 8:31-59	5 57	12 28	♌ 6	Betelgeux sets 9 10 e.	4 50	11 56	7 2
Wed.	10 Papias, 153	" 9:	6 40	12 57	♌ 18	♂ 10 ☾ ☾ ♂ ♂ ☾	4 49	11 56	7 3
Thur.	11 John Arndt, 1621	" 10:	7 22	1 22	♌ 0	♄ sets 9 1 e.	4 48	11 56	7 4
Fri.	12 Elijah, the Prophet	" 11:	8 6	1 45	♌ 12	♀ gr. elong. E. 21° 43'	4 47	11 56	7 5
Sat.	13 Barnabas	" 12:	8 50	2 8	♌ 25	♄ sets 1 20 m. ☾ gr. lib. E.	4 46	11 56	7 6
20] 3d Sunday after Easter			John 16: 16-22; 1 Peter 2: 11-19. (Matt. 10: 16-20; Acts 4: 8-20.)				Length of Day, 14 hrs., 22 min. Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 54 min.		
Sun.	14 Pachomius, 348	Jn. 13, 14:	9 38	2 33	♌ 8	♂ ♂ ☾ ♄ sets 9 3 e.	4 45	11 56	7 7
Mon.	15 Moses, the Lawgiver	" 15:	10 31	3 1	♌ 22	♀ sets 10 43 e. ☾ gr. lib. N.	4 44	11 56	7 8
Tues.	16 Joachim of Floris, 1202	" 16, 17:	11 28	3 34	♌ 6	♂ Altair rises 9 35 e.	4 44	11 56	7 9
Wed.	17 Gottfried Arnold, 1714	" 18:	a. m. 12 30	rises 7 51 p. m.	♌ 21	♂ 17 ♄ sets 10 44 e.	4 43	11 56	7 10
Thur.	18 Valer. Herberger, 1627	" 19:	12 30	9 2	♌ 6	Spica South 9 35 e.	4 42	11 56	7 11
Fri.	19 Alcuin, 804	" 20:	1 35	10 4	♌ 21	♄ rises 3 10 m. ☾ in peri. ☾	4 41	11 56	7 12
Sat.	20 Jeremiah, the Prophet	" 21:	2 40	10 55	♌ 6	Vega rises 5 45 e.	4 40	11 56	7 13
21] 4th Sunday after Easter			John 16: 5-15; James 1: 16-21. (Matt. 10: 24-33; 1 Thess. 2: 9-13.)				Length of Day, 14 hrs., 35 min. Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 59 min.		
Sun.	21 Augustine Cazalla, 1559	Heb. 1, 2:	3 42	11 36	♌ 20	Capella sets 11 24 e. ☾	4 39	11 56	7 14
Mon.	22 Constantine the Gr., 337	" 3, 4:	4 39	a. m.	♌ 5	♄ sets 10 26 e. ☾ sets 11 24 e.	4 39	11 56	7 14
Tues.	23 Savonarola, 1498	" 5, 6:	5 32	12 9	♌ 19	♂ ♄ ☾ ☾ r. 12 18 m.	4 38	11 57	7 15
Wed.	24 Copernicus, 1543	" 7:	6 20	12 37	♌ 3	♂ 24 ☾ sta. ♂ s. 12 48 m.	4 37	11 57	7 16
Thur.	25 Athenagoras	" 8:	7 7	1 2	♌ 17	♀ stationary. ♀ sets 10 29 e.	4 36	11 57	7 17
Fri.	26 The Vener. Bede, 735	" 9:	7 51	1 26	♌ 0	♀ in ☾ ☾ gr. lib. W.	4 36	11 57	7 18
Sat.	27 John Calvin, 1564	" 10:	8 36	1 51	♌ 13	♀ gr. brilliancy.	4 35	11 57	7 19
22] 5th Sunday after Easter			John 16: 23-33; James 1: 22-27. (Luke 11: 9-13; 1 Tim. 1: 1-6.)				Length of Day, 14 hrs., 44 min. Length of Twilight, 2 hrs., 0 min.		
Sun.	28 Archb. Lanfranc, 1089	Heb. 11:	9 22	2 17	♌ 26	♂ ♄ ☾ ♄ r. 2 39 m. ☾ gr. lib. S.	4 35	11 57	7 19
Mon.	29 Jerome of Pragne, 1416	" 12:	10 9	2 47	♌ 9	Castor sets 11 12 e.	4 34	11 57	7 20
Tues.	30 Memorial Day	" 13:	10 59	3 21	♌ 21	Procyon sets 9 25 e.	4 34	11 57	7 21
Wed.	31 Joachim Neander, 1680	Jn 14:	11 49	4 1	♌ 3	♂ 31 Saturnus S. 9 35 e.	4 33	11 57	7 22

MOON'S PHASES

New Moon..... 2d, 12 o'clock, 29 min., morning.
 First Quarter..... 10th, 3 o'clock, 47 min., morning.
 Full Moon..... 17th, 9 o'clock, 11 min., morning.
 Last Quarter..... 24th, 12 o'clock, 16 min., morning.
 New Moon..... 31st, 2 o'clock, 37 min., afternoon.



THE BLACK VIRGIN AT EINSIEDLEN, SWITZERLAND

terior because it contains a re-production in miniature of the house in which Zwingli was born. It may be seen on the table in the centre of the illustration.

Thomas Wittenbach prepared Zwingli, through a course of lectures at the University of Basle in 1505, to become a reformer. He taught him (a) That the Bible was to be our guide and not the Church. (b) That Christ's death, and not the Virgin Mary, saves us from sin. (c) That the sale of indulgences was a fraud.

Glarus is noted as the place of the first charge of Ulrich Zwingli and where he was priest from 1510—1516. In the church with the twin spires is preserved to this day his communion cup.

Einsiedeln.—A great pilgrimage place of the Roman Catholics, 150,000 going there every year. The large building on the left in the picture is the abbey.

The Black Virgin.—It is not known where the figure originated. It is first mentioned in the year 1315. It is made of wood and painted black. It was against the worship of the figure of the Virgin and Christ that Zwingli protested and led him to preach in 1516 that sins are forgiven by the ransom of Christ and not by the Virgin Mary.

The Cloister at Einsiedeln.—This is the building in which Zwingli began preaching the Protestant Gos-



CLOISTER — EINSIEDLEN, SWITZERLAND

1916

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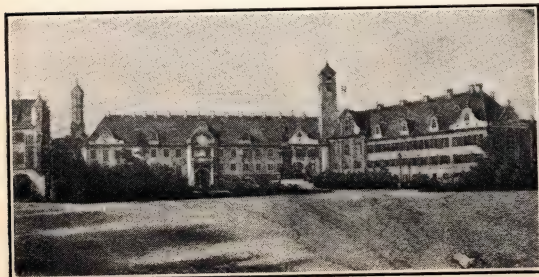
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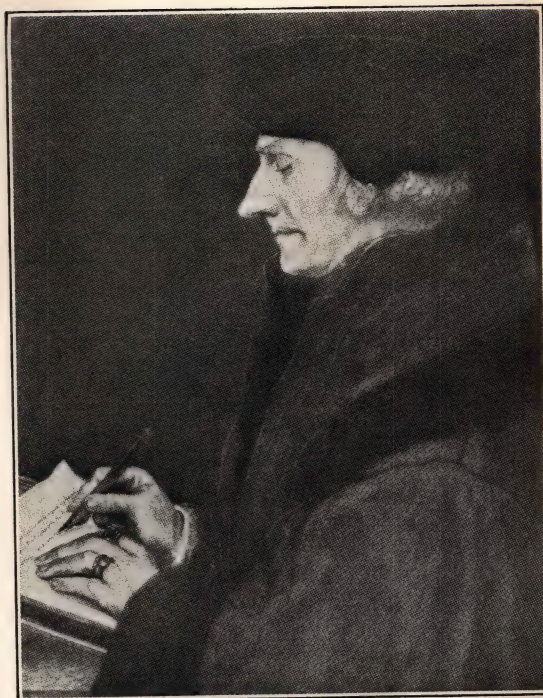


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TITLE PAGE OF THE NEW TESTAMENT PUBLISHED BY
ERASMUS—1516



THE PALACE AT AUGSBURG



ERASMUS



ELECTOR FREDERICK III

1916

Venus (♀) is in inferior conjunction with the Sun on the 3d and passes from evening to morning star. Saturn (♄) is in conjunction with the Sun on the 12th and cannot be seen. Neptune (♆) is in conjunction with the Sun on the 25th and cannot be seen. Mercury (♿) is in superior conjunction with the Sun on the 28th and passes from morning to evening star.

First Quarter.....	8th,	6 o'clock, 55 min.,	morning.
Full Moon.....	14th,	11 o'clock, 40 min.,	evening.
Last Quarter.....	21st,	6 o'clock, 33 min.,	evening.
New Moon.....	29th,	9 o'clock, 15 min.,	evening.

pel. It was, therefore, the birthplace of our Reformed Church. The building was destroyed by fire in the 18th century.

Erasmus and the title-page of the Greek New Testament published by Erasmus in 1516.—A copy of the translation fell into the hands of Zwingli at Einsiedlen and led him to preach the Gospel in 1516, just 400 years ago. This title-page is in Latin.

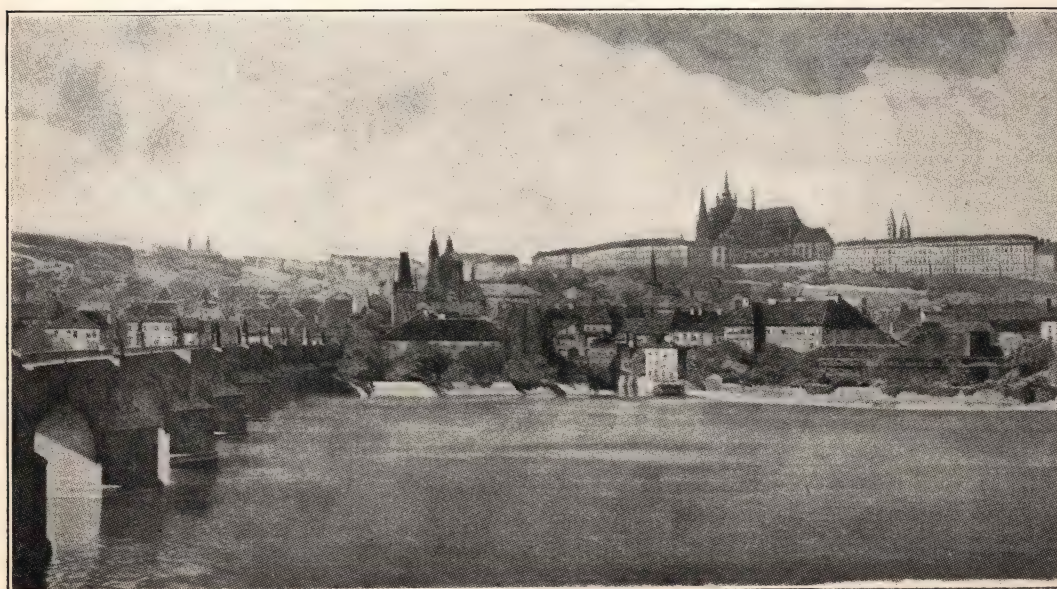
Elector Frederick III and the Palace at Augsburg.—It was in this building that Elector Frederick III made his memorable defence of the Heidelberg Catechism, May 14, 1566. The scene was a grand one, as before the emperor and his princes, Frederick stood alone. It revealed the noble soul of his Christian character.

The Cathedral at Constance, and Prague.—These places are associated with the martyrdom of Jerome, the 500th anniversary of which occurs in 1916. Like John Huss, Jerome of Prague was burned and his ashes thrown into the Rhine. He came to Constance when he learned of the imprisonment there of his friend. It is seriously questioned whether John Huss and Jerome of Prague have received proper credit for their share in the Reformation. Of Jerome's last moments, Poggio, who is frequently cited by Neander, says in part: "With cheerful looks he went readily and willingly to his death. He feared neither



CATHEDRAL AT CONSTANCE, SWITZERLAND

death nor the fire and its torture. No stoic ever suffered death with so firm a soul as that with which he seemed to demand it." "Historians, Catholic and Protestant alike, vie with each other in paying homage to the heroic courage and apostolic resignation with which Jerome met his death. Posterity has conferred their verdict, and reveres him as a martyr to the truth, who, unwearied in life and noble in death, has achieved immortal renown for his share in the Reformation."



PRAGUE, BOHEMIA
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1916

Uranus (♅) is in opposition with the Sun on the 10th and cannot be seen.

First Quarter.....	6th,	4 o'clock,	6 min.,	afternoon.
Full Moon	13th,	7 o'clock,	0 min.,	morning.
Last Quarter.....	20th,	7 o'clock,	53 min.,	morning.
New Moon.....	28th,	12 o'clock,	25 min.,	afternoon.

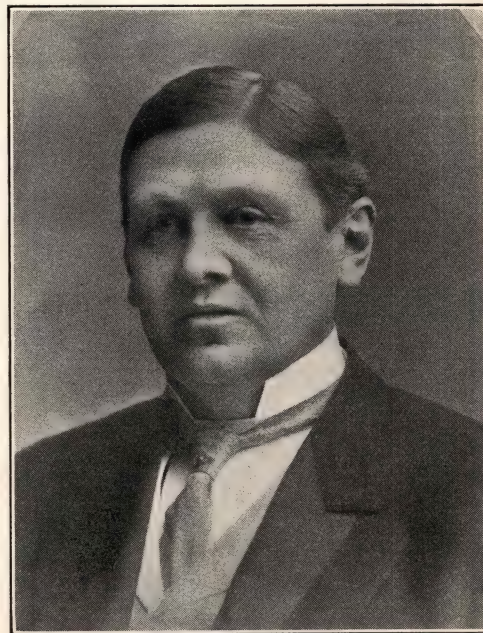


THE PROFESSORS AND THE CLASS OF 1915, THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY, LANCASTER, PA.

OUR INSTITUTIONS OF LEARNING

The selection of Mr. Benjamin Franklin Fackenthal, Jr., as the new President of the Board of Trustees of Franklin and Marshall College is a sufficient guarantee of the future of the College. Mr. Fackenthal is a worthy successor of the two talented Presidents, lost within one year, Mr. George Frederick Baer and Mr. William Uhler Hensel. Mr. Fackenthal is a man of splendid ability, shown in his successful career of a busy life, and of untiring devotion and zeal in the interests of the College. He has been a member of the Board since 1899 and recently its first Vice-President. He has been one of her most generous benefactors, in addition to many other gifts, establishing by endowment of \$40,000, the chair of Natural Science, Biology and Geology. He took a course in chemistry and metallurgy in Lafayette College and the College has honored him with the degrees of Master of Arts and Doctor of Science.

The Reformed Church has sufficient cause for congratulating her members upon her institutions of learning. The spacious grounds, the stately buildings, and the splendid equipment represent an outlay of millions of dollars, but we have never laid undue stress upon these material values. The great worth of our institutions lies in the able and con-



B. F. FACKENTHAL, JR., A.M., Sc.D.,
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SEPTEMBER

9th Month, 30 Days

1916

Weeks and Days	Remarkable Days	Daily Bible Lessons	Moon		Moon's Place S. D.	Aspects of Planets, etc.	Sun		
			Pass. Merid. P. M.	Rises P. M.			Rises A. M.	Pass. Merid. P. M.	Sets P. M.
Fri.	1 Anna (of Jerusalem)	Rom. 5:1-11	2 50	8 3	♌ 19	♂ ♂ ♄ ♀ S. 8 23 e. ♄ gr. lib. E. N.	5 28	12 06	32
Sat.	2 Gregory of Nyssa, 395	" 5:12-21	3 40	8 36	♌ 2	♀ in aphelion.	5 28 a. m.	6 31	

36] 11th Sunday after Trinity

Luke 18: 9-14; 1 Cor. 15: 1-11.
(Luke 12: 32-40; Rom. 8: 16-26.)

Length of Day, 13 hrs., 0 min.
Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 37 min.

Sun.	3 The two Marys	Rom. 6:	4 33	9 16	♌ 15	♌ Bellatrix rises 12 10 m.	5 29	11 59	6 29
Mon.	4 Dionysius the Great, 265	" 7:	5 31	10 5	♌ 29	♌ ♀ rises 1 48 m.	5 30	11 59	6 28
Tues.	5 Katharine Zell, 1562	" 8:1-15	6 32	11 5	♌ 13	♌ ♀ ♀ ♀ S. 3° 0'	5 31	11 59	6 26
Wed.	6 Philip, the Deacon	" 8:16-39	7 33	a. m.	♌ 27	♌ Markab South 11 59 e.	5 32	11 58	6 24
Thur.	7 Lazarus Spengler, 1534	" 9:1-13	8 34	12 14	♌ 11	♌ ♀ sets 7 14 e.	5 33	11 58	6 23
Fri.	8 Corbinian, 730	" 9:14-33	9 31	1 29	♌ 25	♌ ♀ rises 8 10 e.	5 34	11 58	6 21
Sat.	9 Ezra, the Scribe	" 10:	10 26	2 46	♌ 10	♌ ♀ ♀ gr. el. E. 26° 54' ♄ inperi.	5 35	11 57	6 19

37] 12th Sunday after Trinity

Mark. 7: 31-37; 2 Cor. 3: 4-11.
(Matt. 22: 34-40; 1 John 4: 15-21.)

Length of Day, 12 hrs., 42 min.
Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 34 min.

Sun.	10 Methodius, 311	Rom. 11:	11 18	4 3	♌ 25	♌ ♀ S. 7 7 e. ♀ r. 1 23 m.	5 36	11 57	6 18
Mon.	11 John Brenz, 1570	" 12:	a. m.	rises 5 56 p. m.	♌ 10	♌ 11 ♀ sets 7 59 e.	5 37	11 57	6 16
Tues.	12 Dionysius Exiguus, 556	" 13:	12 8	6 23	♌ 24	♌ ♀ gr. elong. W. 46° 1'	5 38	11 56	6 15
Wed.	13 William Farel, 1565	" 14:	12 57	6 51	♌ 8	♌ ♀ ♀ ♀ S. 2° 3'	5 39	11 56	6 13
Thur.	14 Cyprian, 258	" 15:1-13	1 46	7 21	♌ 22	♌ ♀ rises 1 53 m. ♄ gr. lib. S.	5 40	11 56	6 11
Fri.	15 Chrysostom, 407	" 15:14-33	2 36	7 55	♌ 6	♌ ♀ ♀ ♀ ♀ r. 7 49 e. ♄ gr. lib. W.	5 41	11 55	6 10
Sat.	16 Hildegard, 1178	" 16:	3 27	8 24	♌ 19	♌ Antares sets 9 9 e.	5 42	11 55	6 8

38] 13th Sunday after Trinity

Luke. 10: 23-37; Gal. 3: 16-22.
(1 Cor. 13: 1-13.)

Length of Day, 12 hrs., 23 min.
Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 33 min.

Sun.	17 Henry Bullinger, 1575	Acts 20:	4 18	9 19	♌ 2	♌ Aldebaran rises 9 45 e.	5 43	11 54	6 6
Mon.	18 A. G. Spangenberg, 1792	" 21:	5 11	10 10	♌ 14	♌ Arcturus 9 36 e.	5 44	11 54	6 5
Tues.	19 Amos, the Prophet	" 22,23:	6 21	11 5	♌ 26	♌ 19 Altair South 7 54 e.	5 45	11 54	6 3
Wed.	20 Arnobius, c. 303	" 24,25:	6 52	a. m.	♌ 8	♌ ♀ sets 7 39 e. ♄ S. 9 25 e.	5 45	11 53	6 1
Thur.	21 Matthew, the Apostle	" 26:	7 40	12 4	♌ 20	♌ ♀ ♀ ♀ ♀ r. 1 2 45 m. ♄ in apo.	5 46	11 53	6 0
Fri.	22 John Agricola, 1566	" 27:	8 26	1 4	♌ 2	♌ ♀ ♀ ♀ ♀ gr. Hel. Lat. S. ♄ sta.	5 47	11 53	5 58
Sat.	23 Henry Mueller, 1675	" 28:	9 10	2 5	♌ 14	♌ ♀ ♀ ♀ ♀ ent. ♄ Autumn com.	5 48	11 52	5 56

39] 14th Sunday after Trinity

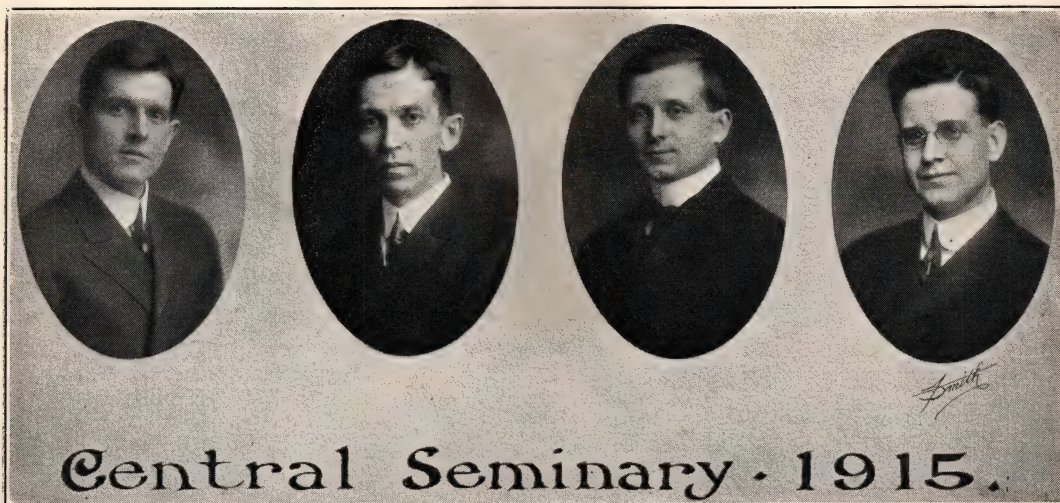
Luke. 17: 11-19; Gal. 5: 16-24.
(Matt. 5: 43-48; Rom. 12: 14-21.)

Length of Day, 12 hrs., 6 min.
Length of Twilight, 1 hr., 32 min.

Sun.	24 Hosea, the Prophet	Eph. 1:1-14	9 52	3 6	♌ 26	♌ ♀ rises 2 2 m. ♄ r. 1 2 m.	5 49	11 52	5 55
Mon.	25 Augsburg Treaty, 1555	" 1:15-2:10	10 34	4 8	♌ 8	♌ Castor rises 11 2 e.	5 50	11 52	5 53
Tues.	26 Dorcas (Tabitha)	" 2:11-3:21	11 17	5 10	♌ 20	♌ 26 Pollux rises 11 28 e.	5 51	11 51	5 51
Wed.	27 Vincent de Paul, 1660	" 4:1-17	p. m. 12 1	sets 5 59 p. m.	♌ 3	♌ ♀ in ♄ ♀ rises 6 59 e.	5 52	11 51	5 50
Thur.	28 Theodoret, 457	" 4:18-32	12 47	6 6	♌ 16	♌ ♀ ♀ ♀ ♄ gr. lib. E. N.	5 53	11 51	5 48
Fri.	29 Michaelmas	" 5:1-6:9	1 36	6 37	♌ 29	♌ Mira sets 1 47 m.	5 54	11 50	5 47
Sat.	30 Jerome, 420	" 6:10-24	2 29	7 17	♌ 13	♌ ♀ ♀ ♀ ♄ sets 7 19 e.	5 55	11 50	5 45

MOON'S PHASES

First Quarter..... 4th, 11 o'clock, 27 min., evening.
Full Moon..... 11th, 3 o'clock, 31 min., afternoon.
Last Quarter..... 19th, 12 o'clock, 35 min., morning.
New Moon..... 27th, 2 o'clock, 34 min., morning.



scientious professors, who train the students, and in the well-qualified graduates, who occupy high and influential positions in all the vocations of life. In business, law, medicine and theology many of the graduates of our academies, colleges and seminaries stand in the front rank, and by the diligent pursuit of their callings are adding new lustre to their Alma Mater. A careful study will convince the friends of our schools of learning that it pays to support them in every way. Besides the need for much larger endowments, so that our institutions may be in a position to offer to the young men and women of our Church every possible advantage for a thorough literary training, parents and guardians should see to it that the young people of our Church avail themselves of the special benefits of our own denominational institutions.

HOW TO SUPPLY RECRUITS FOR THE MINISTRY

Most young men get their first and best start for the Christian ministry in their own homes. It was "the unfeigned faith" in Timothy "that dwelt first in thy grandmother Lois, and thy mother Eunice," that evoked thanks in Paul at the remembrance of it. There is no better preparation for a candidate for this sacred calling than to be brought up in the atmosphere of a Christian family. Next to the influence of the mothers and grandmothers is that of the

Christian ministry itself. A pastor can do more than any other individual to encourage young men to enter the theological seminaries. One of our most prominent ministers recently gave his testimony to the powerful influence of his pastor who did not give him any rest until he went to college and continued his course with the ministry in view. There are a score of our pastors, who pass in mental review as we are writing this note, who have been the instruments in the hand of God to lead ten, twenty and even more young men into the Gospel ministry. It is difficult to think of a greater service that any man can render the cause of Christ than by singling out worthy men for this important office. Dr. John R. Mott says, "In view of the fact that today so many Christian parents are not eager to have their sons enter the ministry, it is clear that the ministry holds the key to the situation." Ministers cannot lay too much stress on the need for ministerial recruits in their sermons and by personal interviews. It is all important to discover whether a young man has a real Christian experience, and whether he feels an inward call to preach the Gospel. This is the main element in the "call." Pastors should ask young men to pray constantly. "Lord, what wilt Thou have me to do," and then let the Lord decide for them as to what calling they should pursue. Let there be less compiling of statistics as to the needs of the work and the lack of candidates, and more actual effort to select the choicest sons for the ministry, and we shall see the dawn of a new era in the Church of God.

1916

Mercury (♿) is in inferior conjunction with the sun on the 5th and passes from evening to morning star.
Jupiter (♃) is in opposition with the sun on the 23rd and cannot be seen.

First Quarter.....	4th,	6 o'clock,	1 min.,	morning.
Full Moon.....	11th,	2 o'clock,	1 min.,	morning.
Last Quarter.....	18th,	8 o'clock,	9 min.,	evening.
New Moon.....	26th,	3 o'clock,	37 min.,	afternoon.



DELEGATES AT MISSIONARY CONFERENCE, COLLEGEVILLE, PA.—1915

SUMMER MISSIONARY CONFERENCES



CLASS LEADERS—RIDGEVIEW PARK, PA.—1915

1916

Mercury (♿) is in superior conjunction with the Sun on the 23rd and passes from morning to evening star.

First Quarter.....	2d,	12 o'clock,	51 min.,	afternoon.
Full Moon.....	9th,	3 o'clock,	18 min.,	afternoon.
Last Quarter.....	17th,	5 o'clock,	1 min.,	evening.
New Moon.....	25th,	3 o'clock,	50 min.,	morning.



HAYMARKET MISSION (ITALIAN) REV. A. PIZZI, CLEVELAND, OHIO

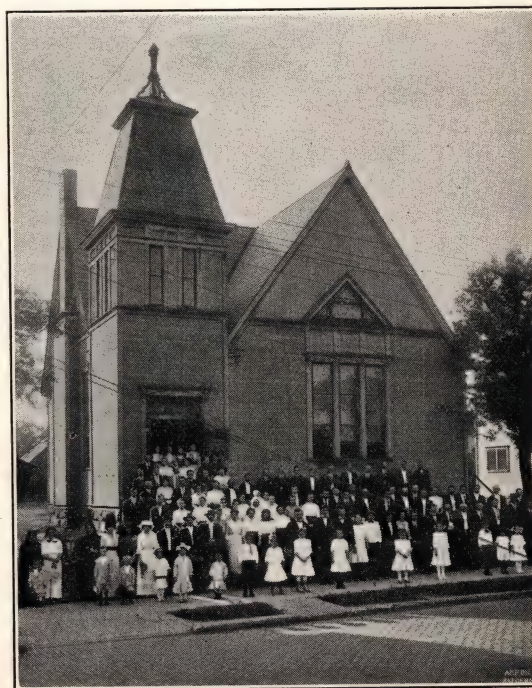
HOME MISSION NOTES

A Church-building Fund is \$500 or more, which is contributed to the Board of Home Missions for the purpose of buying ground or of assisting in the erection of suitable buildings for its missions. The Board now controls 493 Church-building Funds, aggregating \$284,823.43. Church-building Funds have been in operation since 1886. During the last four years the Board doubled the number of Funds. It will mean much to the cause of Home Missions if this number shall again be doubled during the next half decade.

The work of the Board of Home Missions is organized under the following departments:

- Executive Department.
- Church-building Department.
- Immigration Department.
- Department of the West.
- German Department.
- Department of Evangelism.
- Department of Social Service.

The wonderful work of Christianizing the fifty-seven millions of people outside of covenant relationship with Jesus Christ in this country, is the



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1916

MOON'S PHASES

First Quarter.....	1st,	8 o'clock, 56 min., evening.
Full Moon.....	9th,	7 o'clock, 44 min., morning.
Last Quarter.....	17th,	1 o'clock, 6 min., afternoon.
New Moon.....	24th,	3 o'clock, 31 min., afternoon.
First Quarter.....	31st,	7 o'clock, 7 min., morning.

main task of Home Missions. The Reformed Church, if it is to be true to its mission, has a responsible share in the accomplishment of this work.

The work of Home Missions, in addition to the founding and fostering of new churches, includes the vitalizing of existing churches and the Christianizing of the whole social order.

An adequate equipment for our missions is a paramount necessity, and the Board is diligently applying itself to supply the same for all the missions under its care.

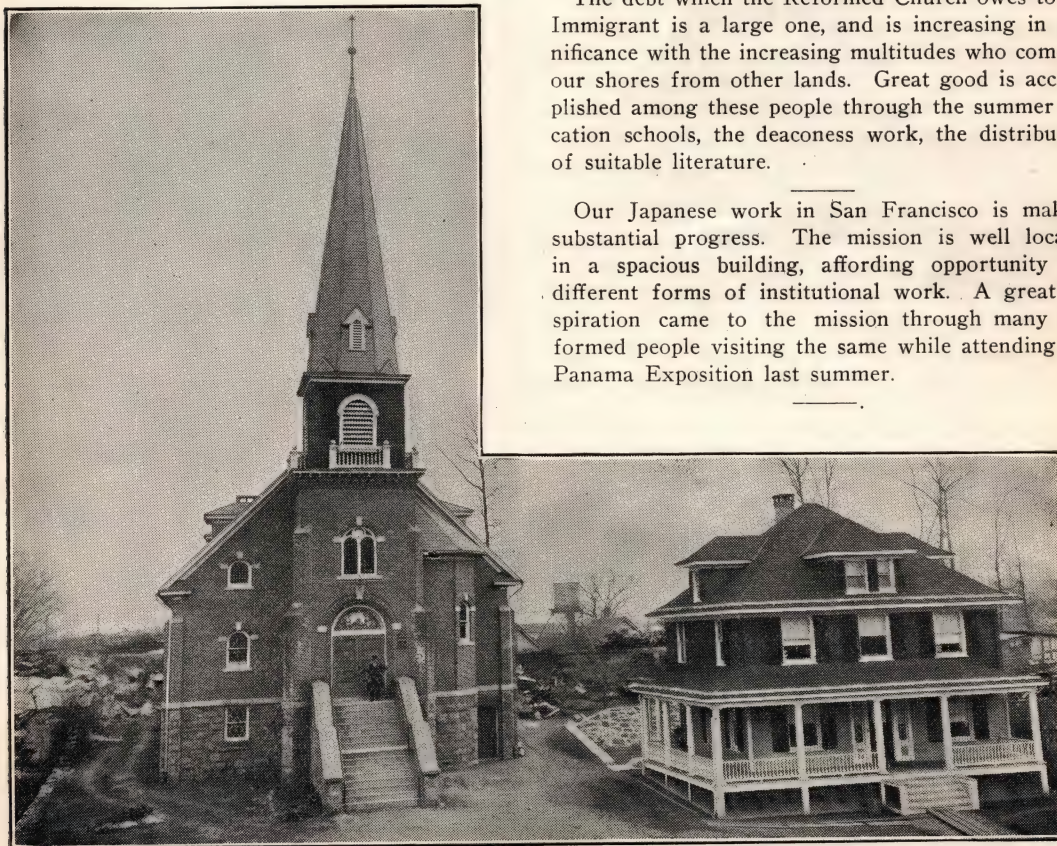
The Board of Home Missions has adopted a large program to be carried into effect during the next five years, which involves the liquidation of the

debts of the missions in the bounds of the Interior Synod, which is our great missionary Synod. These debts aggregate \$110,000. The Synod pledges itself to raise one-third of this amount. The balance, the Board anticipates to raise throughout the Church-at-large. A campaign for \$75,000 to make this project possible will be launched during 1916.

The Rural Church presents a problem of its own. More than half of the congregations of the Reformed Church are rural. The energizing and quickening of these churches will mean great things for the denomination in the years to come, not only in the way of financial contributions, but also in the furnishing of suitable candidates for the ministry and in the supplying of our city churches with staunch Reformed material.

The debt which the Reformed Church owes to the Immigrant is a large one, and is increasing in significance with the increasing multitudes who come to our shores from other lands. Great good is accomplished among these people through the summer vacation schools, the deaconess work, the distribution of suitable literature.

Our Japanese work in San Francisco is making substantial progress. The mission is well located in a spacious building, affording opportunity for different forms of institutional work. A great inspiration came to the mission through many Reformed people visiting the same while attending the Panama Exposition last summer.



HUNGARIAN REFORMED CHURCH AND PARSONAGE—SOUTH NORWALK, CONN.
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New
Home
Mission
Churches



MOVING OLIVET CHURCH FROM FIFTH AND ROCKLAND STREETS TO TENTH AND RUSCOMB STREETS, PHILADELPHIA, POINTS NEARLY ONE MILE DISTANT

In the large work done by the Board of Home Missions, the Woman's Missionary Society of General Synod has been rendering valuable service.

The Board of Home Missions has 234 missions on its roll. They are divided as follows:

English	135	Italian	1
German	83	Colored	2
Hungarian	14	Japanese	1
Bohemian	2	Harbor	1

The total membership in the mission congregations is 23,596. The missions contributed for benevolence last year \$37,985. During the last year General Synod's Board of Home Missions enrolled 14 new missions and built 6 new churches. During the 52 years of its existence it has aided 510 churches.

The total receipts of the Board last year were \$139,710.72 over against \$151,250.93 of the preceding year.

Dr. B. F. Riley, of Birmingham, Ala., recently gave the following figures showing the comparative strength of the negro membership in the leading denominations: Baptists, 2,341,205; Methodists (all branches), 1,434,624; Presbyterians, 29,000; Roman Catholics, 38,235; Protestant Episcopal, 19,098. According to these figures, there are nearly 1,000,000 (over 900,000) more negro Baptists in the country than negroes of all other denominations.

The average church service in the United States costs about \$2 for each person who attends.

The average salary paid to the clergymen of all denominations is \$663 a year.

The seating capacity of the Protestant churches in the United States in 1906 was given as 58,536,830, while the total adult membership of those churches was given as but 20,287,742.

Of the 189,000 Protestant churches, 49,000 are without ministers.



OUR MISSIONARIES OF THE JAPAN MISSION

FOREIGN MISSION NOTES

Foreign Mission Day — February 13, 1916.

The Board of Foreign Missions consists of fifteen members, eight ministers and seven elders.

The business of the Board pertains to every social, industrial, political, educational, medical and spiritual problem in non-Christian lands.

One-half of all the people living in the world to-



FAREWELL MEETING TO DR. AND MRS. DAVID B. SCHNEDER, GIVEN UNDER THE AUSPICES OF PROMINENT CITIZENS OF SENDAI, JAPAN



TEACHERS AND STUDENTS, LAKESIDE SCHOOLS, YOCHOW CITY, CHINA

day have never seen a missionary nor heard a sermon. The greatest challenge of the world is the spiritual destitution of mankind.

How many pastors in your town or city for the number of inhabitants? In China with its four hundred millions, there is one missionary to every eighty thousand souls. In Japan with its fifty-two millions, one missionary to every fifty-four thousand.

The Moslem World with its two hundred millions will cling to the Koran and die without Christ unless the Christians of America will teach them the Bible.

The market value of the land and buildings of the Japan Mission is about \$300,000, and of the China Mission about \$150,000. This is an answer to the



STAFF OF THE HOY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
YOCHOW CITY, CHINA



TEACHERS OF THE EASTVIEW SCHOOLS
SHENCHOWFU, CHINA



REV. PAUL S. SCHAFFNER

question: How is our money for Foreign Missions used?

A woman missionary and the establishment of an adequate course for the training of women evangelists is a great need of our Japan Mission. The greatest need of the Miyagi Girls' School is the Science Building. Cost \$10,000.

The number of applicants for the Theological Course in North Japan College is becoming larger each year. A larger amount should be supplied for beneficiary aid. Cost of support per annum \$40.



MRS. PAUL S. SCHAFFNER

The need of chapels continues to be felt in Japan. For the fifty out-stations we are now spending \$1500 a year for rent. This would pay the interest on \$25,000, a fund which would purchase a large number of lots. Land is extremely cheap now.

Rev. H. H. Cook of Yamagata spends six months of the year in itinerating, thus reaching about every important village, town and city in the Akita and Yamagata provinces. As a result of his recent trip there are 500 seekers.

The destruction by fire of the Zierner Girls' School at Yochow City is a new call to the Church for a more liberal support of the work.

The most pressing needs in our China Mission are: The Woman's Hospital at Yochow City, a new Boys' School lot and building at Shenchowfu, two lady teachers and two married evangelists.

Thousands of young students in China are seeking the truth as it is in Jesus Christ. Over one hundred newspapers in China are co-operating in the Christian Movement. "Give us a decade and we can win the leaders for Christ."

The Emperor of Japan was presented with a Bible, printed in English and bound in ornate white leather, on his coronation day, November 10. This was the first English Bible, it is said, to enter the imperial palace of Japan.

The latest statistics of evangelical Church membership in the republic of China give 470,000. There

are 546 ordained Chinese pastors and 5364 unordained workers; 4712 Chinese Christian school-teachers, 1789 Bible women, and 496 native assistants in the hospitals. Chinese Protestant Christians contributed last year \$320,000 for Christian work. There are 85,241 Chinese boys and girls in the primary and day mission schools and 31,384 students in the intermediate high schools and colleges maintained by the evangelical Churches.

The Yearbook of Missions in India says that there is today an Indian Church aggregating 1,617,000 souls, of whom 568,000 are communicant members, a missionary force of 5200 missionaries from abroad, and 38,438 Indian Christians, men and women, associated with them in the service of missions; a system of education through all the grades—primary, secondary, collegiate, normal, theological, industrial—with a total of 195,000 pupils under Christian instruction.

Twenty-five Protestant mission boards have joined in plans for new and larger educational and evangelistic work in South America. They argue that political events and trade prospects make the time opportune. A call for a missionary conference has just been issued, to be held at Panama, to consider situations throughout all Latin America, Mexico and Cuba included. The date fixed is February, 1916, and plans have been started already for the success of such a meeting. Unity of effort obtains. Every Protestant agency is joined, including the American Bible Society, the American Tract Society, and all of the smaller religious bodies.



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REV. C. E. CORRELL



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REV. O. G. KING



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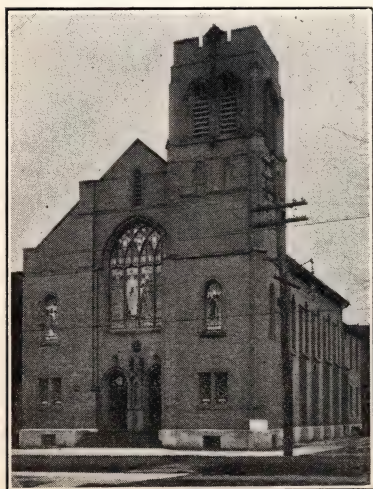
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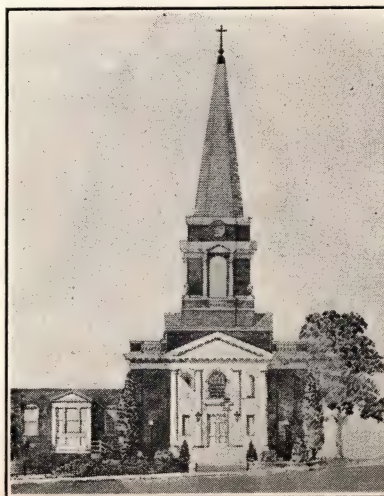


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TAMAQUA, PA. REV. J. M. MENGEL

NEW
CHURCHES



BETHANY REV. ALLEN S. MECK EPHRATA, PA.

SUNDAY SCHOOL NOTES

A general church attendance movement has been started throughout the country. You can help in this splendid work by bringing your children to the church services of preaching and worship and by attending Sunday School yourself.

"I want to be a missionary," said a ten year old girl one day to her mother. Perhaps you may think she was too young to make a life choice, yet she was not too young to declare a desire and intention. Young children cannot make life choices but they can express present desire. The best time in the world to learn to be generous, unselfish and to find a noble object in life, is in childhood.

Are you influencing your children in your home for the highest things?

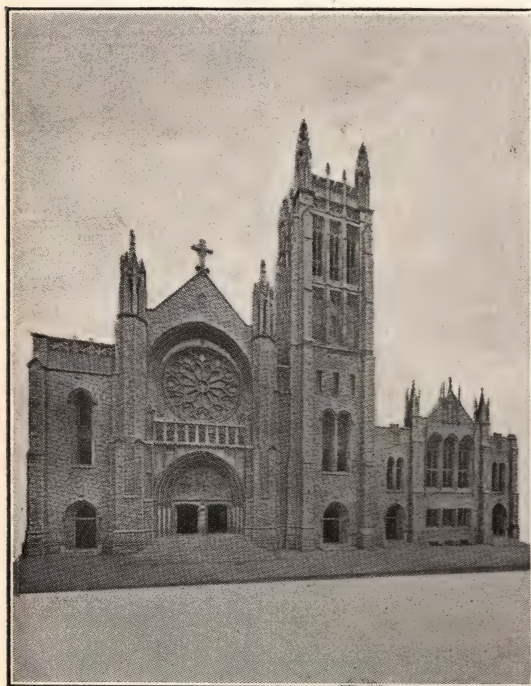
Paul, in writing to Timothy, said: "If one provideth not for his own, especially his own household, he hath denied the faith and is worse than an unbeliever."

This statement applies to parents. Do you ever think that if you wish to feed the mind and soul of your child, time should be given in the home for the reading of simple stories and such literature suitable for the different ages. Bible stories are the best possible food for the mind and souls of little children.

Blanche A. Zieber is Sunday School Fieldworker of the Publication and Sunday School Board of the Reformed Church. Miss Zieber speaks not only at Sunday School conventions and institutes but she confers with the individual pastor, superintendent and heads of departments.

She assists in the organization of new departments, the classification of the Sunday School and, in general, as a Sunday School worker of long experience, encourages and stimulates parents and teachers to greater interest in the Sunday School work. Her services are greatly appreciated.

Forty-eight Sunday Schools, representing a membership of nearly fifteen thousand, were helped with



SALEM

ALLENTOWN, PA.

REV. J. M. G. DARMS, D.D.
A. A. RICHTER, READING, ARCHITECT



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REV. J. P. DIEFFENDERFER



PARSONAGE LIMA, OHIO
REV. W. A. ALSPACH



PARSONAGE BROWNBACK'S, PA.
REV. ARTHUR C. OHL

grants of literature last year. This literature consisted of Bibles, song books, lesson helps and various periodicals. The Sunday School Board also furnishes Hungarian literature and in its Missionary Department aids English, German, Bohemian, Japanese and Chinese schools, as well as our orphans' homes.

Four Reformed Sunday Schools, in Reading, Pa., have each a membership exceeding one thousand. St. Mark's has a total enrollment of 1552; First Church school, 1373; St. Stephen's, 1205; St. Andrew's, 1001. Five others have a membership each between five hundred and one thousand. Allentown, Pa. also boasts of a number of large schools, includ-

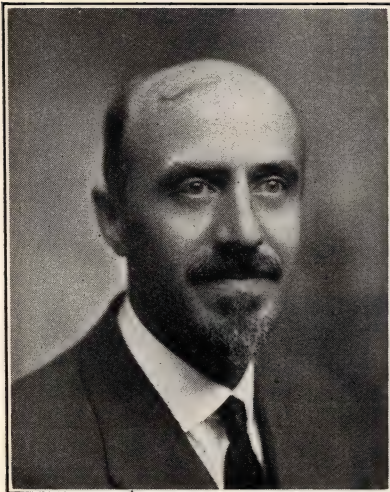
ing Salem, with an enrollment of 1662; Dubbs Memorial, 930; St. Andrew's, 986.

For a small town, Zion, Lehigh, Pa., has perhaps the largest Reformed School in proportion to its population of any in the country. It enrolled last year 1355.

Akron, Ohio, has two schools over the 1000 mark; Wooster Avenue, with an enrollment of 1296; Grace, 1288; and Trinity, 796.

The largest Reformed School now in our Reformed Church is Trinity, Canton, O., with an enrollment of 1716.

Hundreds of our Reformed schools are found in small town and country districts, with an average



Emil J. Dahlman,
Superintendent
of Circulation of
Reformed Church
Messenger

Miss Blanch A.
Zieber,
Field Worker,
Publication and
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attendance, in many cases, of less than one hundred, but one of the largest country schools is found in Lehigh County, Pa., St. John's Reformed and Lutheran School, Salisbury, with an enrollment last year of 969.

Upon whose bosom snow has lain;
Who intimately lives with rain.
Poems are made by fools like me,
But only God can make a tree.

—Joyce Kilmer.

A GOOD GOAL FOR YOU IN THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

1. The last child in the Sunday School.
2. The last scholar a communicant church member.
3. The last member a worker.
4. The last worker trained.

DO GOOD

Do all the good you can;
By all the means you can;
In all the ways you can;
In all the places you can;
At all the times you can;
To all the people you can;
As long as ever you can.

—John Wesley.

TREES

I think that I shall never see
A poem lovely as a tree.
A tree that looks at God all day,
And lifts her leafy arms to pray.
A tree that may in summer wear
A nest of robins in her hair.



C. HAROLD LOWDEN

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REV. ROBERT M. KERN,
SUPERINTENDENT, SECRETARY AND TREASURER,
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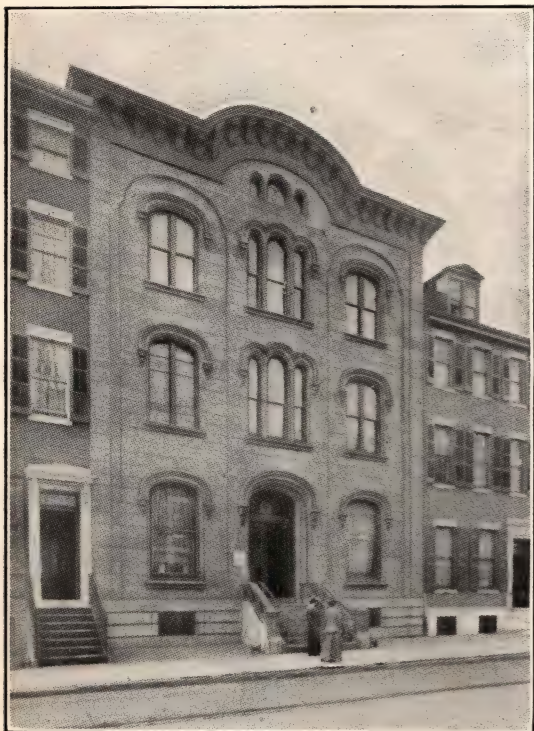
Allentown, Pa.

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees, Rev. Robert M. Kern, pastor of St. Andrew's Reformed Church, Allentown, Pa., was elected Superintendent of the Home and Secretary and Treasurer of the Board. Mr. Kern continues as pastor of St. Andrew's. An office has been established in the Home. The Superintendent has the assistance of a stenographer. He looks upon this office as purely a labor of love and asks only the co-operation of pastors and people.

Fifty years ago, on July 5, William Booth preached his first sermon to the outcasts of London. He went down to Mile End Waste, and there in front of a saloon of the lowest type he held the service out of which grew the Salvation Army. Today the Army is organized in 58 countries and colonies, preaches in 36 languages, has 9698 corps and outposts, 1191 social institutions, 605 day schools, 14 naval and military homes, and 16,519 officers and cadets.



EXHIBIT AT THE PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION OF THE FEDERAL COUNCIL OF THE CHURCHES OF CHRIST
IN AMERICA



PHILADELPHIA SCHOOL FOR CHRISTIAN WORKERS

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The Philadelphia School for Christian Workers of the Presbyterian and Reformed Churches, of which the Deaconess House and Training School is a part, began its history in 1907. It was incorporated under the laws of Pennsylvania September 8, 1909. The School is centrally located and is easily accessible from all parts of Philadelphia. The institution is well equipped for its work and has unusual facilities for enabling students to gain a practical knowledge of the many forms of Christian service carried on in a great city.

ECCLESIASTICAL COLORS

A list of the colors used on pulpit and altar, during the several seasons of the Church Year, together with their ecclesiastical significance.

The four colors used in the four chief seasons are White, Violet (Purple), Red, and Green. Black is used but once, and that is on Good Friday.

White is the symbol of purity and chastity, and is used at Christmas and through the Epiphany season, Ascension Day and Trinity Sunday. "Signifying 'The Spotless Lamb of God' and the fine linen, pure and white, with which the saints are clothed." It is also used on All Saints' Day, and the festival of the dedication of a church.

Violet or Purple is the emblem of penitence and mourning and is used during the Advent season (which is sometimes called a little Lent); from Septuagesima Sunday on through the Lenten season; also at funerals.

Red, the emblem of blood and fire, is the color for Pentecost or Whitsunday, to typify the fiery tongues. When the feast days of the martyrs are observed, this color is appropriate.

Green is the symbol of life, hope and peace, and is used throughout the entire Trinity season.

The use of these colors by the Christian Church seems to have been determined very largely by the usages of the ancient Tabernacle and the Temple.

Grouping the seasons and their appropriate colors, we have:

The Advent season—Violet.

Christmas and the Epiphany season—White.

From Septuagesima, through the Lenten season, Violet.

Good Friday—Black.

Easter and its season—White.

Ascension Day—White.

Pentecost—Red.

Trinity Sunday—White.

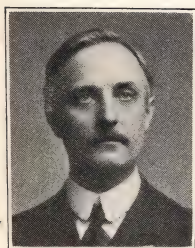
The Trinity season—Green.

Reformation Day—Red.

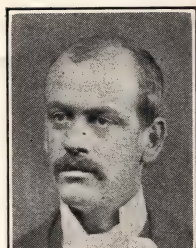
The Protestant Missions of the Philippines claim 75,000 members in their churches and only 30,000 in their Sunday Schools. The Philippine Islands Sunday School Union feels that this situation does not indicate a good future for the Christian movement in the Islands, and has therefore announced as its slogan, "A Sunday School membership equal to the church membership by October, 1916."

The statistical report of the Presbyterian Church shows that 3913 of their congregations, more than one-third of the entire number, have less than fifty members, and more than six thousand of their congregations gave for congregational expenses and pastor's support \$1,200 or less.

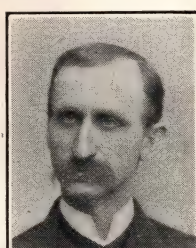
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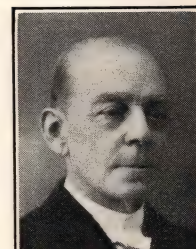
REV. ADAIR



REV. BINKLEY



REV. BOWER



REV. DERR

REV. EMMET M. ADAIR, PH. D., was born at Leesville, O., Feb. 8, 1864 and died at Tiffin, O., July 22, 1915. His early education was received at the Academy at New Hagerstown, O. He read law under the direction of his father and began the practice of law at Carrollton, O. Deceased was twice elected prosecuting attorney of Carroll Co., O. He next became a lecturer for the Anti-Saloon League, and later field worker for the American Sunday School Union. In the meantime he read theology under his father-in-law, Rev. Dr. S. Z. Beam and in 1908 was licensed to preach the Gospel. He served the following charges: Osnaburg, O. and Mann's Choice, Pa. He is survived by his widow and three children.

REV. HENRY K. BINKLEY was born in Bern Township, Berks Co., Pa., March 4, 1848. After securing a public school education he entered Union Seminary at New Berlin, Pa. He was licensed by Tohickon Classis in 1884 and ordained at Bethlehem, Pa., Aug. 29, 1884. For a time he was engaged in missionary work at Honesdale, Pa. In 1888 he became the general canvassing agent for the Reformed Church Record and continued in this capacity until his death, Sept. 13, 1914. Deceased is survived by his widow.

REV. THOMAS JEFFERSON BOWER was born at Line Ridge, Pa., June 8, 1849, and died at Frackville, Pa., Aug. 20, 1914. He was prepared for the Theological Seminary by Rev. S. S. Kohler. In 1886 he entered the Seminary at Lancaster, Pa., graduating therefrom in 1890. The same year he was ordained and installed as pastor of the St. Clair Church, Schuylkill Co., Pa. He next served the St. Peter's Church, Frackville, Pa., until the date of his death, covering a period of 24 years. He is survived by a son and two daughters.

REV. TILGHMAN DERR was born in Lewis Twp., Northumberland Co., Pa., in 1844. He prepared for College at Turbotville Academy, and entered F. and M. College in 1863, graduating in 1867. He graduated from Mercersburg Seminary 1870. For a time he supplied St. John's, Danville, Pa. Health failing, he went West for 1½ years. He was then called to his home congregation, which he served six years. The following charges were served by him: Berwick, Conyngham, Millersburg, Lock Haven and Rohrerstown, all in Pennsylvania. He died at Lancaster, Pa., Apr. 17, 1915. He is survived by his widow and five children.

REV. DR. ELIAS E. GRUENSTEIN, born May 5, 1848, at Odessa, Ruzsland, died Aug. 16, 1914 at Wimbledon, N. D. In 1873 he came to America and shortly after entered the Mission House, Plymouth, Wis. He was ordained Oct. 5, 1876, by Indiana Classis and installed as pastor of Charlestown, Ind. charge. Other charges served were Linton, Ind., Olney, Ill., Sharon, Pa., Monticello, Iowa, and Wimbledon, N. Dak. He is survived by his widow and seven children.

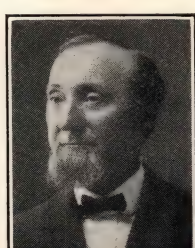
REV. COSMOS H. HERBST was born in Montgomery Co., Pa. 1852, and died at West Hazleton, Pa., Jan. 2, 1915. His early life was spent on the farm and there he prepared himself for college. He graduated from F. and M. College 1878 and from Lancaster Theological Seminary 1881. The same year he was licensed by Goshenhoppen Classis and installed as pastor of St. Stephen's Church, Pottstown, Pa. In 1893 he was called to St. Paul's, West Hazleton, and after 11 years was called to Christ Memorial, of the same place, where he served until his death. For 16 years he acted as Stated Clerk of Wyoming Classis.

REV. HENRY MILLER HERMAN, D.D., was born in Lancaster Co., Pa. Mar. 20, 1834 and died at Dayton, O., Mar. 10, 1915. He studied at the Academy at Lancaster, Pa., later he entered F. and M. College, graduating in 1860. He prepared for the ministry at the Lancaster Seminary and upon graduation was licensed in 1862. He then taught at the Clarion Collegiate Institute, Rimersburg, Pa. Resigning therefrom he accepted a call to West Alexandria, O., which he served 20 years. In 1881 he began work at Miamisburg, O., where he remained until 1912, when he removed to Dayton, O. He is survived by his widow and five children.

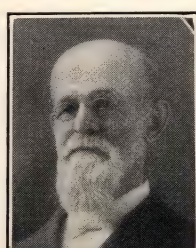
REV. DR. JACOB B. KERSCHNER was born at Oley, Pa., Aug. 1, 1846 and died at Jersey City, N. J., Christmas Day 1914. He graduated from F. and M. College in 1872 and from Lancaster Seminary in 1875. He was licensed in 1875 and in Oct. of the same year ordained and installed as pastor of the Millersburg, Pa. charge, which he served 12 years. He then preached at Conyngham, Pa. for 10 years, and for 17 years at Freeland, Pa. Because of ill health he resigned and removed to Jersey City, N. J. He is survived by his widow and two daughters.



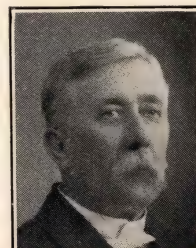
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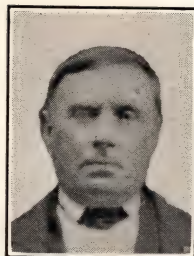
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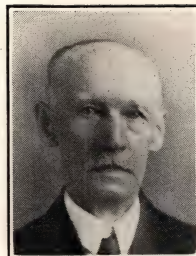
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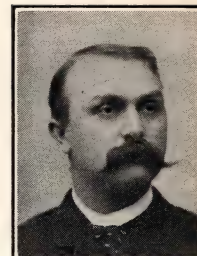
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REV. MACKLEY

REV. PAUL GIDEON KLUGE, born at Sheboygan, Wis., Feb. 17, 1879, died Nov. 29, 1914 at St. Paul, Minn. His early education was received at the public schools, Sheboygan, Wis., where he prepared for the Mission House, Plymouth, Wisconsin. He graduated from the College and Seminary of the Mission House. He then entered McCormick Seminary, Chicago, Ill. and later, for a short time, attended Heidelberg Seminary. He served the following charges: New Bremen, O., Crothersville, Ind. and Peace congregation, St. Paul, Minn. He is survived by his widow and one daughter.

REV. PAUL KOESLING was born June 29, 1866 at Koenigsberg, Germany. His early education was obtained in the gymnasium and military school, and later he studied medicine. In 1903 he came to America and through the instructions of Rev. G. Hoffmann was fitted for mission work in Canada. He was received into Manitoba Classis and by the same Classis ordained in 1904. He served the Hartfield mission, Pheasant Forks, Can., and Wolseley, Can. Because of ill health he resigned and engaged in the drug business at Irvine, Can., where he died Jan. 7, 1915. He is survived by his widow.

REV. F. H. W. KUCKHERMANN was born in Ladbergen, Westphalia, Germany, Oct. 17, 1821. He came to this country at the age of 19 and settled at New Knoxville, Ohio. He studied for the ministry under Rev. Braasch. In 1852 he was licensed and ordained in Cincinnati by the Lutheran Synod of Ohio. In 1874 he was received into the Reformed Church by the Heidelberg Classis. From 1852 to 1890 he served the New Knoxville congregation with great success. On account of ill health he was then compelled to retire. He died March 29, 1915.

REV. J. C. J. KURTZ, of Reading, Pa., died of heart failure on March 26, 1915, at Jacksonville, Fla., where he had gone early in the winter, accompanied by his wife and his daughter. Rev. Mr. Kurtz was a native of Germany. He was 75 years of age. He served in the ministry for thirty years at the following places: Hanover, Pa., Pinegrove, Pa., Tamaqua, Pa., and Shamokin, Pa.

REV. JOHN F. MACKLEY died at Fairfield, Pa., Sept. 16, 1914. He graduated from Gettysburg College in 1878. Later he entered a medical college and was graduated as a physician in 1882. He practiced his profession several years in Baltimore, Md. and Marietta, Pa. He later entered the Lancaster Theological Seminary, graduating in 1886. He served

charges in Lambertine, Maytown and Thomas, Pa., and in 1892 accepted a call from the Fairfield charge, which he served until 1902, when, owing to failing health, he retired from the active ministry. His widow survives.

REV. OTTO MUEHLMEIER was born Jan. 18, 1864, at Herman, Wis. He attended the Mission House College and Seminary, graduating therefrom in 1886. He was ordained in 1886 by Sheboygan Classis and installed as pastor of the mission at Wausau, Wis. He afterwards served for three years the Potter, Wis. charge. For 11 years he acted as "Hausvater" at the Mission House. He then returned to Potter, Wis., for 5½ years, and later to the first field he served, Wausau, Wis. Because of ill health he resigned and resided at Whitewater, Wis. In 1913 he returned to the Mission House to assume his former duties. He died Jan. 3, 1915. He is survived by his widow, one son and three daughters.

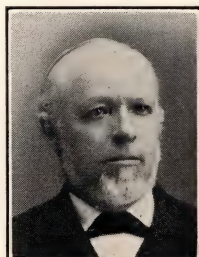
REV. JOHN ROECK was born Nov. 8, 1843 at Kirnbach, Germany. At eleven years of age his parents died. In 1864 he went to the Basler Mission House. After six years he left the Mission House for West Africa. He remained there but 2 years and returned to Germany. In 1873 he came to America and became pastor of St. Paul's Church, Philadelphia, Pa. In 1877 he accepted a call from Ebenezer Church, Buffalo, N. Y., where he served for 15 years. He then removed to Kiel, Wisconsin, which he served eleven years. In 1903 he retired because of ill health. He died May 10, 1915. His widow and 9 children survive.

REV. GEO. W. ROTH was born near Doylestown in 1843. In 1862, he enlisted as a member of the 153d Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers. After the war, until 1869, he worked at his trade, carriage building. He then entered F. and M. College, graduating from College in 1873 and from the Seminary at Lancaster in 1876. He was ordained and installed pastor of the Tinicum charge, Oct. 26, 1876. July, 1884, he accepted a call to South Easton, Pa. He was pastor of the Hamburg, Shoemakersville and Pt. Clinton, Pa. churches from 1886 to 1892, when he accepted a call to his last charge, Falkner Swamp, Pa. He is survived by his widow, two sons, Revs. Chas. E. and Geo. S., and two daughters.

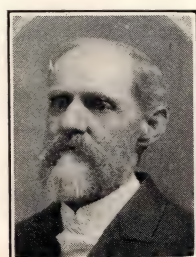
REV. PHILIP RUHL, a son of Rev. John B. and Sarah Ruhl, was born in Stark Co., Ohio, on the 17th of May, 1846. In his early years he moved with his parents to Indiana. Later he attended Heidelberg Theological Seminary at Tiffin, O., and was ordained in 1871. During the 44 years



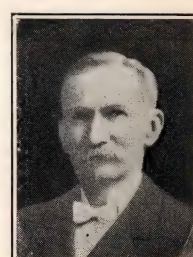
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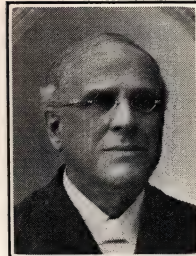
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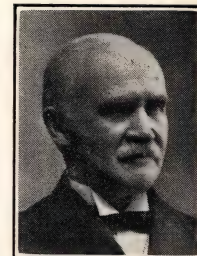
REV. SCHEEL



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REV. SHONTZ

of his ministry he served the following charges: Kenton, O., 1871-1874; Auburn, Ind., 1874-1878; Prospect, O., 1879-1888; Kenton, O., 1888-1898; Fort Wayne, Ind., 1898-1907; Auburn, Ind., 1908-1915. Rev. Ruhl died June 21, 1915. He is survived by one son.

REV. CASPER SCHEEL was born Aug. 24, 1830, in Neuengro-nau, Germany. In 1846 he came to Pittsburgh, U. S. A. Here he became acquainted with Rev. Samuel Miller, of Har-nau, Germany. In 1846 he came to Pittsburgh, Pa. Here he became acquainted with Rev. Samuel Miller, of Harmony, Pa., under whom he prepared for the ministry. He went to in all, forty years in the active ministry, serving charges and congregations in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, and Maryland. His last charge was Zelenople, Pa., which he served 17 years. He died May 14, 1915. Two sons and three daughters survive.

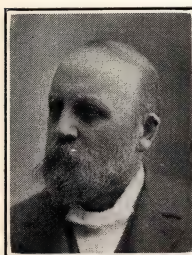
REV. CALVIN H. SCHNEIDER was born Jan. 5, 1865 at Gal-lion, O. He attended Calvin College, Cleveland, O., and re-ceived his theological preparation at the Mission House, Ply-mouth, Wis. He was ordained Sept. 16, 1891 by Erie Clas-sis and installed pastor at Kelley's Island, O. He later served Ragersville, O. 8 years; Magley, Ind., 12 years, and Herman, Wis. 1 year. He died Oct. 24, 1914. His widow and six children survive.

REV. DANIEL E. SCHOEDLER, D.D. was born at Kutztown, Pa., Feb. 6, 1840 and died at Allentown, Pa., June 22, 1915. He prepared for college at Allentown Seminary. In 1863 he graduated from F. and M. College. On account of the war he did not enter the Seminary, but studied privately. He was licensed in 1865 and ordained at Bath, Pa. 1868. He served the Broadheadsville, Pa. charge and later the

Oley, Pa. congregation. In 1883 he was appointed Mis-sionary Supt. of the Reformed Church, for California. Re-turning to Penna. he served Mt. Zion's charge; Paradise charge, Northumberland Co., Pa.; and Grace, Allentown, Pa. For 10 years he acted as Stated Clerk of Wyoming Classis, for 15 years as Stated Clerk of Lehigh Classis, and till death as Sec'y of the Phoebe Deaconess Home. His widow and four children survive him.

REV. JONAS B. SHONTZ was born at Marklesburg, Pa. In 1859 he entered F. and M. College, leaving in 1861 to enlist in the army, where he remained for 3 years, rising to the rank of first lieutenant. After the war he engaged in business, but later entered Mercersburg Seminary, Mercers-burg, Pa., graduating in 1871. The same year he was or-dained. His first charge was Tipton, Iowa; then Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Shippensburg, Pa., Akron, O., Chambersburg, Pa. He served for 5 years as chaplain of the Maryland Peniten-tiary; was evangelist for Ohio Synod and president of Penna. State Sabbath School Association. He died Nov. 15, 1914.

REV. JOSEPH B. SHUMAKER, D.D., was born in Fairfield Co., O., Aug. 20, 1838. Graduated from Heidelberg Univer-sity 1865, and from the Theological Seminary in 1866. He was licensed by Miami Classis and ordained Jan. 20, 1867. His first pastorate was Bethel charge, near Dayton, O.; later he served the following: Manchester, O.; Canton, O.; St. Paul's, Lancaster, Pa.; Trappe, Pa. He then became Fi-nancial Secretary of Heidelberg University. His last pas-torate was Fireside, O. He retired from active pastoral work in 1910. He died at Bellevue, O., May 28, 1915. His widow and 3 children survive.



REV. SHUMAKER

THE INCREASE IN THE MINISTRY

There has been much complaining and lamenting about the falling off of the number of men going into the ministry. Most of the lamentations have been founded on feeling rather than figures and sentiment

rather than statistics. Talcott Williams, director of the Pulitzer School of Journalism, Columbia Uni-versity, brought some facts and figures which are re-assuring to the graduating class of Hartford Theo-logical Seminary.

Mr. Williams asserted that from 1880 to 1910 the number of ministers has grown faster than the num-

ber of lawyers or physicians. In this thirty years the United States census being witness, the number of ministers had increased from 64,698 to 132,988, or had more than doubled. The lawyers have increased from 64,137 to 121,149, while in the same time the number of physicians has grown from 85,671 to 157,-956. The clergymen alone have grown faster than the population.

Further, the number of theological students in the United States has doubled in thirty-three years. There were 5,242 in 1880 and 10,965 in 1913; while in Germany theological students have fallen off one-half in this generation, and in England the number has remained the same.

CHURCH STATISTICS

DENOMINATIONS	SUMMARY FOR 1914			NET GAINS FOR 1914		
	Minis- ters	Church- es	Communi- cants	Minis- ters	Church- es	Communi- cants
Adventists (6 bodies).....	1,169	2,579	98,927	d10	32	105
Baptists (15 bodies).....	42,710	57,537	6,179,622	672	290	122,125
Brethren (Dunkards, 4 bodies).....	3,433	1,289	121,475	39	16	2,015
Brethren (Plymouth, 4 bodies).....	.....	403	10,566	.....	.....	.....
Brethren (River, 3 bodies).....	224	105	4,903	.....	.....	.....
Buddhist (2 bodies).....	15	74	3,165	.....	.....	.....
Catholic Apostolic (2 bodies).....	33	24	4,927	.....	.....	.....
Catholics (Eastern Orthodox, 7 bodies).....	342	399	458,500	55	64	36,500
Catholics (Western, 2 bodies).....	19,068	15,055	13,813,137	468	366	139,350
Christadelphians.....	.....	70	1,412	.....	.....	.....
Christians.....	1,066	1,360	113,887	d63	178	10,985
Christian Catholic (Dowie).....	35	17	5,865	.....	.....	.....
Christian Scientists.....	2,672	1,336	85,096	84	42	.....
Christian Union.....	308	272	14,807	.....	.....	.....
Churches of God (Winebrennarian).....	509	595	41,475	.....	.....	.....
Churches of the Living God (Colored, 3 bodies).....	101	68	4,286	.....	.....	.....
Churches of the New Jerusalem (2 bodies).....	143	147	9,671	6	1	70
Communitic Societies (2 bodies).....	.....	22	2,272	.....	.....	.....
Congregationalists.....	6,091	6 129	755,088	25	33	4,935
Disciples of Christ (2 bodies).....	8,261	11,143	1,519,821	569	d582	452
Evangelical (2 bodies).....	1,569	2,598	190,293	30	d2	3,248
Faith Associations (9 bodies).....	241	146	9,572	.....	.....	.....
Free Christian Zion Church.....	20	15	1,835	.....	.....	.....
Friends (4 bodies).....	1,476	1,167	124,216	.....	.....	.....
Friends of the Temple.....	3	3	376	.....	.....	.....
German Evangelical Protestant.....	59	66	34,704	.....	.....	.....
German Evangelical Synod.....	1,058	1,365	290,803	7	20	29,315
Jewish Congregations.....	1,084	1,799	143,000	.....	.....	.....
Latter-Day Saints (2 bodies).....	3,610	1,570	361,000	50	50	5,000
Lutherans (21 bodies).....	9,450	16,220	2,444,970	256	210	56,248
Scandinavian Evangelical (3 bodies).....	629	857	72,900	.....	.....	.....
Mennonites (12 bodies).....	1,413	736	57,337	.....	.....	.....
Methodists (16 bodies).....	41,525	62,416	7,328,829	396	255	231,460
Moravian (2 bodies).....	147	143	20,615	1	.....	152
Nonsectarian Bible Faith Churches.....	50	204	6,396	.....	.....	.....
Pentecostal (2 bodies).....	802	738	28,946	77	90	5,009
Presbyterians (12 bodies).....	14,066	16,834	2,083,617	325	188	56,019
Protestant Episcopal (2 bodies).....	5,629	8,002	1,026,048	102	103	28,641
Reformed (4 bodies).....	2,177	2,770	478,951	9	7	15,265
Reformed Catholic.....	7	6	3,250	.....	.....	.....
Salvationists (2 bodies).....	2,967	924	27,893	177	35	419
Schwenkfelders.....	5	6	1,039	d1	.....	39
Social Brethren.....	15	17	1,262	.....	.....	.....
Society for Ethical Culture.....	7	6	2,450	.....	.....	.....
Spiritualists.....	.....	2,100	200,000	.....	100	.....
Theosophical Society.....	.....	154	4,714	.....	9	525
Unitarians.....	524	475	70,542	d7	d2	.....
United Brethren (2 bodies).....	2,260	4,086	343,016	d4	d80	14,917
Universalists.....	650	717	52,000	d52	8	284
Independent Congregations.....	257	879	48,673	.....	.....	.....
Grand Total for 1914.....	178,290	225,613	38,708,149	.....	.....	.....
Grand Total for 1913.....	175,078	224,172	37,945,071	.....	.....	.....
Net gain 1914.....	3,212	1,441	763,078	.....	.....	.....
Net gain 1913.....	1,282	2,910	1,320,604	.....	.....	.....

d Decrease.

MEETING OF THE CLASSES 1916

CLASSES	PLACE OF MEETING	TIME	STATED CLERK
<i>General Synod</i>	Dayton, Ohio (First).....	May 16. 1917 ..	<i>Rev. J. Rauch Stein, 359 E. Broad St., Bethlehem, Pa.</i> <i>Rev. F. W. Leich, 3305 Franklin Ave., Cleveland, O.</i>
<i>Eastern Synod</i>	Rittersville, Pa.	May 15.	<i>Rev. J. Rauch Stein, 359 E. Broad St., Bethlehem, Pa.</i>
East Pennsylvania	Lebanon, Pa. (St. Mark's).....	May 15.	<i>Rev. A. P. Frantz, Catasauqua, Pa.</i>
Philadelphia	Philadelphia, Pa. (Mt. Hermon)...	May 9.	<i>Rev. Dr. J. Lewis Fluck, Myerstown, Pa.</i>
Lancaster	Steelton, Pa.	May 15.	<i>Rev. C. B. Alspach, 1538 Wingohocking St., Phila., Pa.</i>
East Susquehanna	Millersburg, Pa.	May 22.	<i>Rev. D. G. Glass, 526 S. Duke St., Lancaster, Pa.</i>
West Susquehanna	Mifflinburg, Pa. (St. John's).....	May 22.	<i>Rev. Wilbur Jere. Kohler, Millersburg, Pa.</i>
Tohickon	Hellertown, Pa.	June 5.	<i>Rev. R. R. Jones, Center Hall, Pa.</i>
Goshenhoppen	Keelor's Ch. (Rev. T. R. Brendle)...	May 15.	<i>Rev. T. C. Brown, South Bethlehem, Pa.</i>
Lehigh	Slatedale, Pa.	May 15.	<i>Rev. C. H. Kehm, Pottstown, Pa.</i>
Schuylkill	Auburn, Pa.	May 15.	<i>Rev. C. F. Althouse, 17 N. 2d St., Allentown, Pa.</i>
Wyoming	Bloomsburg, Pa.	May 8.	<i>Rev. O. R. Frantz, Minersville, Pa.</i>
Reading	Reading, Pa. (Faith).....	May 15.	<i>Rev. Geo. H. Miller, Nescopeck, Pa.</i>
Hunan (China) ..			<i>Rev. Thos. H. Leinbach, 136 Clymer St., Reading, Pa.</i>
<i>Ohio Synod</i>			<i>Rev. Dr. Sam'l Z. Beam, 188 Greenfield St., Tiffin, O.</i>
Miami	Greenville, Ohio	May 8.	<i>Rev. Joseph Pierce Alden, Greenville, O.</i>
Lancaster	Columbus, Ohio	May 16.	<i>Rev. J. J. Gruber, Basil, O.</i>
Tuscarawas	Cleveland, O. (Hough Ave.).....	May 2.	<i>Rev. J. Theo. Bucher, 115-15th St. S.E., Canton, O.</i>
Tiffin	Toledo, O. (Hungarian).....	May 8.	<i>Rev. Dr. A. C. Shuman, 80 N. Sandusky St, Tiffin, O.</i>
Eastern Ohio	Lisbon, Ohio	May 9.	<i>Rev. J. W. Geier, Carrollton, O.</i>
St. Joseph	Millersburg, Ind.	May 9.	<i>Rev. Freeman Ware, White Pigeon, Mich.</i>
<i>Synod of Northwest.</i>			<i>Rev. Dr. J. J. Janett, 1413 N. 7th St., Sheboygan, Wis.</i>
Sheboygan	Sheboygan, Wis.	June 14.	<i>Rev. Dr. D. W. Vriesen, R. F. D. 3, Manitowoc, Wis.</i>
Milwaukee	Sauk City, Wis.	June 14.	<i>Rev. Wm. C. Zenk, Campbellsport, Wis.</i>
Minnesota	Waukon, Iowa, R. F. D. 1.....	June 14.	<i>Rev. Wm. P. Thiel, Klemme, Iowa.</i>
Nebraska	Harbine, Neb.	June 15.	<i>Rev. Julius T. Vollprecht, Humbolt, Neb.</i>
Ursinus	Newton, Iowa	June 14.	<i>Rev. Henry E. Grieb, Marengo, Iowa.</i>
South Dakota	Alpena, South Dakota.....	June 14.	<i>Rev. H. Achtermann, Alpena, S. Dakota.</i>
Portland-Oregon ..		June 22.	<i>Rev. A. E. Wyss, R. F. D. 1, Portland, Oregon.</i>
Manitoba			<i>Rev. A. Heinemann, 392 Alex. Ave., Winnipeg, Can.</i>
Eureka	Venturia, North Dakota.....	June 22.	<i>Rev. G. J. Zenk, Eureka, S. Dak.</i>
<i>Pittsburgh Synod</i> ..			<i>Rev. Dr. J. H. Mickley, Box 221, Johnstown, Pa.</i>
Westmoreland	Harrison City, Pa.	May 8.	<i>Rev. Dr. S. H. Dietzel, Pleasant Unity, Pa.</i>
Clarion	Du Bois, Pa.	May 31.	<i>Rev. R. E. Crum, DuBois, Pa.</i>
St. Paul	Grove City, Pa.	May 30.	<i>Rev. H. S. Nicholson, Grove City, Pa.</i>
Somerset	Salisbury (Elk Lick P. O.), Pa....	June 13.	<i>Rev. E. P. Skyles, Cumberland, Md.</i>
Allegheny	Duquesne, Pa.	May 15.	<i>Rev. W. H. Tussing, 708 Collins Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.</i>
Hungarian	Lorain, O.	June 2.	<i>Rev. Samuel Horvath, Akron, O.</i>
<i>Potomac Synod</i>			<i>Rev. L. E. Coblentz, 410 N. Calhoun St., Baltimore, Md.</i>
Zion	Salem's (near Dover, York Co., Pa.)	May 8.	<i>Rev. Aaron Spangler, 511 W. Market St., York, Pa.</i>
Maryland	Adamstown, Pa.	May 25.	<i>Rev. L. E. Coblentz, 410 N. Calhoun St., Baltimore, Md.</i>
Mercersburg	Ft. Loudon, Pa.	May 9.	<i>Rev. F. W. Bald, Mercersburg, Pa.</i>
Virginia	Roanoke, Va.	May 24.	<i>Rev. T. K. Cromer, Winchester, Va.</i>
North Carolina ..	Waught'n Ch. (Winston-Salem), N.C.	May 2.	<i>Rev. Dr. J. C. Leonard, Lexington, N. C.</i>
Gettysburg	St. Peter's, near Spring Grove, Pa.	May 16.	<i>Rev. Dr. T. J. Barkley, Gettysburg, Pa.</i>
Carlisle	Marysville, Pa.	May 15.	<i>Rev. J. Alvin Reber, Newburg, Pa.</i>
Juniata	Alexandria, Pa.	May 1.	<i>Rev. E. R. Deatrick, Martinsburg, Pa.</i>
<i>German Syn. of East</i>			<i>Rev. Dr. A. E. Dahlmann, 428 Huron Av., Sheboy, Wis.</i>
New York	Brooklyn, N. Y. (Emanuel).....	May 2.	<i>Rev. E.W.C.Brueckner, 90 Forbes St., Jam. Pl., Boston.</i>
West New York ..	Buffalo, N. Y. (Salem).....	June 15.	<i>Rev. C. H. Gundlach, 6 Alson St., Warren, Pa. [Mass.</i>
Germ. Philadelphia ..	Philadelphia, Pa. (Hoffnungs).....	June 13.	<i>Rev. M. F. Dumstrey, 921 N. 26th St., Philadel., Pa.</i>
German Maryland ..	Cumberland, Md.	May 9.	<i>Rev. J. Sommerlatte, 1217 N. Caroline St., Balto., Md.</i>
<i>Central Synod</i>			<i>Rev. F. W. Leich, 3305 Franklin Ave., Cleveland, O.</i>
Erie		June 13.	<i>Rev. Dr. J. H. C. Roentgen, 1977 W. 100th St., Cleve'd, O.</i>
Heidelberg	New Bremen, O.	June 6.	<i>Rev. F. H. Keller, Bucyrus, O.</i>
St. John's	Stone Creek, O.	June 13.	<i>Rev. John H. Rettig, New Philadelphia, O.</i>
Cincinnati	Oakley, Ohio	June 15.	<i>Rev. Dr. A. Seyring, Mount Healthy, O.</i>
Toledo	Toledo, O. (Zion's).....	June 22.	<i>Rev. L. A. Moser, Elk Rapids, Mich.</i>
<i>Synod of Interior</i> ..			<i>Rev. T. F. Stauffer, 910 Congress St., Emporia, Kans.</i>
Illinois	Gary, Indiana.....	May 16.	<i>Rev. G. Nevin Rebert, Orangeville, Ill.</i>
Iowa	Zwingle, Iowa	May 23.	<i>Rev. J. N. Naly, Tipton, Iowa.</i>
Kansas	Fairview, Kans.	May 2.	<i>Rev. L. L. Hassenpflug, Hiawatha, Kans.</i>
Wichita	Emporia, Kans.	May 2.	<i>Rev. T. F. Stauffer, 910 Congress St., Emporia, Kans.</i>
Lincoln	Omaha, Neb.	May 31.	<i>Rev. H. L. Krause, 1400 Rebecca St., Sioux City, Ia.</i>
<i>Synod of Southwest.</i>			<i>Rev. L. C. Rettig, 306 W. Main St., Olney, Ill.</i>
Zion	Newville, Ind.	June 14.	<i>Rev. Otto H. Scherry, 211 E. Keyser St., Garrett, Ind.</i>
Indiana	Indianapolis, Ind. (Immanuel's)...	May 24.	<i>Rev. L. C. Rettig, 306 W. Main St., Olney, Ill.</i>
Missouri	Deepwater, Mo. (Hebron).....	June 15.	<i>Rev. C. Wm. Deglow, Wathena, Kans.</i>
Chicago	Pearl City, Ill. (Salem).....	June 14.	<i>Rev. Ernst Traeger, Freeport, Ill.</i>
Kentucky	Louisville, Ky. (Milton Ave.).....	May 4.	<i>Rev. F. E. Lahr, 329 Walnut St., Jeffersonville, Ind.</i>

OUR HOME MISSION WORK

Distribution of Missions

English	135
German	60
Hungarian	14
Bohemian	2
Italian	1
Colored	2
New York Harbor	1
Japanese, San Francisco	1

Distribution According to Synods

	No. of Missions	Membership
Ohio Synod	25	3,607
Pittsburgh Synod	36	3,954
Interior Synod	26	2,000
Potomac Synod	30	3,224
Eastern Synod	27	4,660
German Synod of East	8	912
	152	18,357

Financial

Boards receipts during year	\$ 154,735
Apportionment last year	152,498
Apportionment paid	97,180
Shortage	55,318
Board receipts for Ch. Building Funds	52,836
Receipts since 1826	2,902,265

Church Building Funds

Value of a fund \$500 or over	1886
First fund established	1,686,000
Funds loaned to churches valued at	\$1,686,000
Number of funds	493
Funds in progress	86
Value of above	\$284,823
Largest single fund	11,000

Hungarian Missions

Our Reformed Hungarian population	14
Missions	4
Dayton, O., Dillonvale, O., Akron, O., East Chicago, Ill., South Chicago, Ill., Homestead, Pa., Johnstown, Pa., Lorain, O., Toledo, O., Bridgeport, Conn., South Norwalk, Conn., Uniontown, Pa. and Torrington, Conn. (2)	4
Students	4

General Synod's Board

Board organized	1893
Number of missions enrolled	152
Membership	18,357
Missions gave for benevolence	\$ 32,507
Missions paid for pastoral support	52,780
Property indebtedness	564,913
New missions enrolled	14
Churches built during the year	6
Congregations receiving aid in 52 years	510

The Western Board

Missions, German	60
Congregations	82
Members	5239
Churches	59
Parsonages	38
Congregation giving	\$ 57,283
Benevolent giving	5,478
Value of property	290,725
Support by Board	23,635
Salary by missions	17,019

Bohemian Missions

Our Bohemian population	500,000
In Chicago	125,000
Missions	2
Chicago, Ill., Cedar Rapids, Ia.	2

Distribution of Work

The City	The South	The West	The Alien
Population of cities	Missions	Missions west of Mississippi	Annual immig. arrivals
36,000,000	Negro mission work aided at Louisville and Bowling Green, Ky.	Mississippi 26 5/7 of our territory 1/3 of our population Indian Mission at Black River Falls, Wis.	1,250,000
40 per cent.			New York Harbor ... 1 Hungarian
			Bohemian
			Italian
			Japanese

OUR FOREIGN MISSION WORK

Our Japan Force

Rev. J. P. Moore, D.D., and wife.
 Rev. D. B. Schneder, D.D., and wife.
 Rev. Henry K. Miller and wife.
 Rev. Christopher Noss, D.D., and wife.
 Prof. Paul L. Gerhard and wife.
 Rev. Allen K. Faust, Ph.D., and wife.
 Miss B. Catherine Pifer.
 Rev. Herman H. Cook, Jr., and wife.
 Rev. W. G. Seiple, Ph.D., and wife.
 Miss Mary E. Gerhard.
 Rev. Elmer H. Zaugg and wife.
 Miss Kate I. Hansen.
 Miss Lydia A. Lindsey.
 Rev. C. D. Kriete and wife.
 Miss Margaret J. Leader.
 Miss Ollie A. Brick.
 Rev. Ezra H. Guinther and wife.
 Rev. Alfred Ankeney.
 Rev. Paul F. Schaffner and wife.

Our China Force

Rev. William E. Hoy, D.D., and wife.
 Rev. William A. Reimert and wife.
 Rev. Paul E. Keller and wife.
 Rev. J. Frank Bucher and wife.
 Prof. Horace R. Lequear and wife.
 Rev. Edwin A. Beck and wife.
 Miss Alice E. Traub.
 Rev. F. K. Heinrichsohn and wife.
 Rev. W. F. Adams, M.D., and wife.
 Miss Rebecca Messiner.
 Miss Ruth E. Hahn.
 Rev. Ward Hartman and wife.
 Miss Meta M. Bridenbaugh.
 Dr. Lewis R. Thompson and wife.
 Miss Gertrude B. Hoy.
 Prof. Karl H. Beck.
 Miss Helen B. Ammerman.
 Miss Mary Edna Myers.
 Miss Elizabeth J. Miller.

Missionaries		Japan	China
Ordained men	12	1	7
Unordained men	1	1	3
Physicians	1	1	2
Wives	12	1	10
Lady teachers	5	1	3
Lady evangelists	1	1	1
Nurses	1	1	4
Total Missionaries	31	31	30

General Data	
Board organized	1838
First missionary (Turkey) Dr. Benjamin Schneider	
First missionary to Japan, Rev. Ambrose D. Gring	1879
China Mission organized by Rev. W. E. Hoy, D.D.	1899
Present force in Japan	31
Present force in China	29
Members in Japan	2444
Members in China	141
Colleges and schools in Japan	3
Colleges and schools in China	4

Churches and Institutions		
	JAPAN	CHINA
Organized churches	20	3
Other places for meeting	66	9
Communicant members	2444	141
Sunday Schools	74	5
S. S. officers and teachers	240	25
Sunday School pupils	3966	381
Theological seminaries	1	...
Students in same	16	...
Day and boarding schools	2	10
Pupils in same	687	424
Hospitals and dispensaries	...	4
Patients	12,000	...

Financial, 1914	
RECEIPTS:	
From all sources	\$ 134,572.11
DISBURSEMENTS:	
Home—For all purposes	\$31,366.16
Japan Mission	66,724.34
China Mission	36,884.61
Total disbursements	134,975.11
Deficit for the year 1914	\$ 403.00

Native Workers		Japan	China
Ordained	18	1	1
Unordained preachers	21	1	1
Teachers (men)	33	1	1
Teachers (women)	8	1	1
Bible women	16	1	1
Nurses	7	1	1
Total native workers	96	44	44

Colleges and Schools in Japan	
NORTH JAPAN COLLEGE AT SENDAI.	
Faculty: Americans	6
Japanese	26
Students	499
Graduated	487
MIYAGI GIRLS' SCHOOL, SENDAI.	
Teachers: Japanese	17
Americans	5
Students	188
Graduated	220

Schools in China	
Lakeside Boys' School	Yochow.
Boys' School	Shenchowfu.
Girls' School	Yochow.
Girls' School	Shenchowfu.

Medical Work	
Hospital and Dispensary	Yochow.
Hospital and Dispensary	Shenchowfu.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR TOPICS, 1916

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January

2. What Is Consecration? Mark 12: 28-34. (Consecration meeting.)
9. Why Join the Church? Eph. 3: 8-21.
16. How to Work with Others. Isa. 41: 1-7.
23. Amusement That Is Worth While. Eccl. 3: 1-15.
30. Great Foreign Missionaries. 2 Cor. 8: 16-23.

February

6. Christian Endeavor Fidelity and Force. Matt. 25: 31-46. (Christian Endeavor Day.)
13. The Consecration of Influence. Heb. 10: 19-25. (Consecration meeting.)
20. How to Put the Bible into Life. Ps. 119: 105-112.
27. Exterminate the Saloon! Why? How? Hab. 2: 1-14.

March

5. The Consecration of Strength. Ps. 29: 1-11. (Consecration meeting.)
12. The Causes of Failures in Life. Prov. 10: 1-32.
19. Getting Power from Our Pledge. Ps. 25: 1-14. (Honorary members' meeting.)
26. Great Home Missionaries. Luke 10: 1-20.

April

2. The Consecration of Time. Ps. 90: 1-17. (Consecration meeting.)
9. What My Denomination Expects from Its Young People. Ps. 84: 1-12.
16. Good Prayer Meetings, and How to Have Them Always. Acts 12: 1-17.
23. The Lessons of Our Immortality. Rom. 6: 1-23. (Easter meeting.)
30. Using Sunday for This World and the Next. Isa. 58: 1-14.

May

7. The Consecration of Talents. Matt. 25: 14-30. (Consecration meeting.)
14. What Does Christ Want Us to Do? John 15: 12-16. (Union meeting with the Juniors.)
21. The Blessings of Peace, and How to Get Them. John 14: 27.
28. How Missions Are Blessing the World. Ezek. 47: 1-12. (Foreign missionary meeting.)

June

4. The Consecration of Money. Job 27: 1-23. (Consecration meeting.)
11. The Will and the Way. Phil. 4: 1-13.
18. The Usefulness of Good Cheer. John 16: 24-33.
25. What Is the Purpose of Our Life on Earth? Eph. 2: 1-10.

July

2. How to Make Ours an Ideal Nation. 1 Pet. 2: 1-10.
9. The Consecration of Purpose. Acts 11: 19-23. (Consecration meeting.)
16. Purity, Temperance, and Strength. Dan. 1: 8-20.
23. Enthusiasm: Its Value: How to Cultivate It. Isa. 12: 1-6.
30. How Missions Are Blessing Our Nation. Luke 19: 41-48.

August

6. The Consecration of Friendship. Eccl. 4: 9, 10. (Consecration meeting.)
13. True Beauty, and How to Get It. Prov. 31: 10-31.
20. Growth: Body, Mind, Spirit. Luke 2: 40-52.
27. Carelessness versus Thoughtfulness. Heb. 2: 1-7.

September

3. The Consecration of Home Life. Acts 10: 1-8, 17-24, 44-48. (Consecration meeting.)
10. The Greatness of God. Ps. 145: 1-21.
17. Little Chances to Help. Ex. 17: 8-13.
24. Christianity Compared with Other Religions. 1 Cor. 10: 1-21. (Foreign-missionary meeting.)

October

1. The Consecration of School Life. Prov. 4: 1-13. (Consecration meeting.)
8. What New Work Should Our Society Undertake? Ex. 14: 8-15.
15. Public Spirit, and How to Cultivate It. Ps. 122: 1-9. (Citizenship Sunday.)
22. Manliness and Womanliness. Neb. 6: 1-13; Esth. 4: 6-16.
29. The Rewards of Religion. 1 Cor. 3: 6-23. (Honorary members' meeting.)

November

5. The Consecration of Social Life. 1 Cor. 9: 19-23. (Consecration meeting.)
12. How to Be Strong. Heb. 11: 32-40; 12: 1-4.
19. Why Christianity Is the Hope of Our Country. Ps. 9: 1-20. (Home-missionary meeting.)
26. The Grace of Gratitude. Ps. 107: 1-43. (Thanksgiving meeting.)

December

3. The Consecration of Business Life. Rev. 3: 14-22. (Consecration meeting.)
10. Defy Evil! 1 Kings 21: 15-22.
17. Big Jobs Awaiting Us. Ex. 3: 1-14.
24. Helping to Accomplish the Purpose of Christ's Coming. John 10: 1-16. (Christmas meeting.)
31. Lessons to Learn from the Past. Eph. 5: 15-21. (New Year's meeting.)

JUNIOR C. E. PRAYER-MEETING TOPICS, 1916

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I. CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR FOUNDATION STONES

January

2. Trusting in Christ. Jer. 17: 7, 8. (Consecration meeting.)
9. Confessing Christ. Rom. 10: 9-11.
16. Serving for Christ's Sake. Matt. 25: 34-40.
23. Loyal to Christ. Acts 5: 25-29.
30. Mission Work in Our Own Country. Deut. 11: 12.

II. OUR WORK FOR CHRIST

February

6. What Christian Endeavor Has Done in Thirty-five Years. 1 Cor. 15: 58. (Christian Endeavor Day.)
13. The Society's Eyes. (Lookout Committee.) Mark 1: 16-20.
20. The Society's Hands and Feet. (Social and Sunshine Committees.) Rom. 15: 1, 2.
27. The Society's Heart and Conscience. (Prayer-meeting and Missionary Committees.) Mal 3: 16; Rom. 10: 12-15.

III. THE BIBLE THE JUNIORS' CHART

March

5. Why We Cannot Do Without the Bible. Ps. 119: 1-8. (Consecration meeting.)
12. How Can We Make the Best Use of the Bible? Ps. 119: 33-40.
19. How Will Bible-study Help Us? Ps. 119: 97-104.
26. "Africa, the Country of Big Things." Ps. 107: 1-3.

IV. THE CHURCH

April

2. Our Motto, "For Christ and the Church." Eph. 2: 19-22. (Consecration meeting.)
9. The Church a Home for Our Souls. Acts 4: 31-33.
16. The Church a School for Our Souls. 2 Tim. 3: 14-17.
23. The First Easter Sunday. Matt. 28: 1-10.
30. The Church in India, "Spicy Breezes and Palmy Plains." Rev. 5: 9.

V. PRAYER

May

7. Learning to Pray. Matt. 6: 5-13. (Consecration meeting.)
14. What Does Christ Want Us to Do? John 15: 12-16. (Union meeting with the Young People's Society.)
21. How to Pray. Luke 18: 9-14.
28. Life in Burma and Singapore, "From Pagoda Land to the Lion City." Isa. 45: 22, 23.

VI. HOME LIFE

June

4. Love the Foundation. 1 Cor. 13: 4-7. (Consecration meeting.)
11. Obedience a Chief Corner-stone. Eph. 6: 1-3.
18. Forbearance a Strong Buttress. Eph. 4: 1-7.
25. Live Peaceably with All. Rom. 12: 18. (A peace meeting.)

July

2. Cleave to That Which Is Good. Rom. 12: 9-11. (Good-citizenship and consecration meeting.)

VII. WITH JESUS IN THE HOLY LAND

9. In the Wilderness, Overcoming the Tempter. Matt. 4: 11.
16. On the Lake, Teaching and Helping Others. John 6: 16-21.
23. By the River, Calling Disciples. John 1: 35-51.
30. An Old but Very New Plan. Isa. 28: 5-13. (Temperance meeting.)

VIII. GOD'S GIFTS TO US

August

6. God's Gift of Beauty in Nature. Ps. 104: 10, 14. (Consecration meeting.)
13. God's Gift of Flowers. Matt. 6: 28-32.
20. God's Gift of Birds and Animals. Ps. 104: 16-24. (Band-of-Mercy meeting.)
27. China, "The Middle Flowery Kingdom." Isa. 52: 10.

IX. BIBLE HEROES AND HEROINES

September

3. Abraham, the Friend of God. Heb. 11: 8-10. (Consecration meeting.)
10. Miriam, the Faithful Sister. Exod. 2: 5-10.
17. Hannah, the Faithful Mother. 1 Sam. 1: 11, 21-28.
24. Peter, the Missionary. Acts 10: 30-42.

X. BIBLE HEROES AND HEROINES

October

1. Joseph, Who Triumphed Over Trouble. Gen. 45: 4-8. (Consecration meeting.)
8. David, Shepherd, Singer, and Saint. 1 Sam. 16: 17, 18.
15. Ruth, the Faithful Daughter. Ruth 2: 11, 12.
22. Esther, the Faithful Queen. Esth. 4: 10-14.
29. Paul, the Missionary. Acts 16: 9-13.

XI. SOME FAVORITE NAMES OF JESUS

November

5. Jesus Our Saviour. Acts 4: 8-12. (Consecration meeting.)
12. Jesus Our Friend. John 15: 12-15.
19. Jesus Our Shepherd. John 10: 11-14.
26. Come before Him with Thanksgiving. Ps. 95: 1-3.

XII. BIBLE SONGS

December

3. Some Favorite Psalms. Ps. 147. (Consecration meeting.)
10. Songs of Deliverance. Exod. 15: 1-2; Ps. 78: 1-7.
17. Peeps at Three Nations, "Korea, Japan, Hawaii." Ps. 148: 11-13.
24. The Angels' Song. Luke 2: 8-14.
31. Heaven's New Song. Rev. 5: 9-12.

NOTE.—The foreign-missionary topics are taken from the little book called "Around the World with Jack and Janet," published by the Central Committee for the United Study of Missions. It can be obtained from any of the missionary boards for twenty-five cents, and it contains sufficient information for all the foreign-missionary meetings suggested, together with many hints for the best use of the book.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY (BY CLASSES) OF THE REFORMED CHURCH IN THE UNITED STATES, 1914-1915

CLASSES	MEMBERS					ADDITIONS				LOSSES				SUNDAY-SCHOOLS			CONTRIBUTIONS						
	Ministers	Licentiates	Congregations	Communicants	Communed	Unconfirmed			Adult Baptisms	Confirmed	Certificate	Renewals	Dismissed	Excommunicated	Erased	Deaths		Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Scholars	Students for Ministry	Benevolence	Congregational Purposes
						Infant Baptisms	Unconfirmed	Confirmed															
EASTERN SYNOD:																							
East Penna.....	35	2	62	14,311	11,086	8,041	637	43	644	267	320	261	..	440	217	76	1,573	16,898	14	\$ 18,926	\$143,829		
Lebanon.....	21	1	48	11,933	9,210	4,906	386	24	480	127	82	176	..	167	174	49	1,079	12,029	9	15,032	59,474		
Philadelphia.....	55	1	36	11,297	8,926	2,177	350	275	784	295	436	236	..	206	37	37	997	12,910	5	60,241	123,162		
Lancaster.....	43	4	53	11,344	8,520	3,623	314	307	644	253	131	175	..	126	175	51	1,076	11,301	13	28,268	94,334		
E. Susquehanna.....	20	..	55	9,308	6,924	5,698	565	28	553	114	110	141	..	153	141	54	918	11,288	6	14,516	41,013		
W. Susquehanna.....	23	1	66	6,337	5,120	2,071	205	39	274	169	148	185	..	181	102	59	926	8,387	8	15,572	31,444		
Tohickon.....	25	..	41	10,174	8,364	4,786	350	118	459	173	133	163	..	131	168	46	947	8,783	7	18,845	55,289		
Goshenhoppen.....	16	..	28	8,384	6,404	4,490	346	29	278	127	53	105	..	85	173	30	618	6,967	8	25,604	42,876		
Lehigh.....	44	3	65	21,652	16,803	10,875	856	16	819	261	224	219	..	405	354	76	1,707	18,016	4	36,264	95,687		
Schuylkill.....	21	..	35	7,861	6,495	4,667	475	50	580	125	224	166	..	293	114	34	678	9,093	1	12,743	51,978		
Wyoming.....	28	..	47	7,654	5,335	2,991	340	103	486	254	130	282	..	154	110	46	1,083	8,513	2	10,433	49,980		
Reading.....	25	2	27	13,690	10,278	6,748	501	29	429	185	130	155	..	410	214	31	1,313	12,316	7	25,127	71,725		
Hunan.....	..	..	..	112	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total.....	356	14	563	134,057	103,465	61,073	3,325	1,061	6,430	2,350	2,182	2,264	..	2,751	2,062	589	12,915	137,401	84	\$282,571	\$859,891		
OHIO SYNOD:																							
Miami.....	35	4	51	7,465	5,659	769	212	225	383	192	107	156	..	200	122	48	882	7,604	6	\$15,665	\$61,128		
Lancaster.....	18	..	26	3,012	2,498	670	61	22	50	55	25	62	..	52	45	25	380	3,168	..	18,684	20,415		
Tuscarawas.....	40	1	50	9,378	7,728	2,313	207	217	507	304	204	210	..	416	99	50	1,062	12,893	7	29,013	78,431		
Tiffin.....	35	1	31	4,965	4,254	1,794	220	113	230	87	112	115	..	149	86	31	501	5,377	7	11,836	53,071		
Eastern Ohio.....	20	..	30	4,116	3,308	1,017	195	42	107	76	57	96	..	76	56	24	420	3,570	1	9,282	21,865		
St. Joseph.....	18	..	34	3,425	2,831	754	108	134	186	57	74	58	..	200	58	32	487	4,350	5	6,201	25,021		
Total.....	166	6	222	32,361	26,381	7,317	973	753	1,409	771	639	697	..	1,093	466	210	3,792	37,052	26	\$91,281	\$260,531		
NORTHWEST SYNOD:																							
Sheboygan.....	40	1	44	5,750	4,090	2,961	305	26	266	102	146	110	..	66	65	40	358	2,554	12	\$ 6,384	\$38,162		
Westmoreland.....	22	..	22	2,796	2,056	1,127	160	6	123	45	63	67	..	25	42	20	174	1,316	2	4,007	43,201		
Minneapolis.....	14	..	20	2,133	1,245	1,058	106	4	107	7	22	38	..	46	27	18	144	1,102	3	4,129	15,253		
Nebraska.....	16	..	15	1,660	1,312	1,085	120	2	77	35	32	26	..	61	10	14	82	971	2	3,891	9,826		
Ursinus.....	14	..	14	1,941	1,436	955	98	6	92	9	16	10	..	14	24	15	107	752	2	4,576	14,158		
S. Dakota.....	9	..	24	2,160	749	926	84	2	69	4	26	17	..	20	15	24	61	404	1	3,002	6,268		
Portl. Oregon.....	16	..	14	998	519	491	69	5	50	30	53	29	..	27	17	16	80	626	..	4,255	11,388		
Manitoba.....	9	..	19	998	886	771	101	..	50	71	8	5	..	27	15	21	66	624	4	747	7,563		
Eureka.....	6	..	26	1,148	882	1,007	107	4	84	21	28	24	..	45	14	20	49	404	1	2,075	6,885		
Total.....	146	1	198	19,576	13,175	10,381	1,150	55	918	324	394	326	..	331	240	188	1,121	8,813	27	\$33,066	\$152,704		
PITTSBURGH SYNOD:																							
Westmoreland.....	32	..	41	7,833	6,277	5,671	551	80	363	1157	122	194	..	215	72	39	665	7,712	5	\$32,010	\$54,543		
Clarion.....	9	..	34	3,877	3,181	1,974	145	23	121	31	21	76	..	138	44	30	403	3,848	1	5,527	16,443		
St. Paul.....	14	..	20	3,335	2,804	935	115	65	166	77	104	72	..	97	44	19	244	3,260	1	6,033	16,194		
Somerset.....	16	1	41	4,621	3,728	2,438	207	45	200	114	97	125	..	96	58	39	517	5,112	1	9,104	34,502		
Allegheny.....	25	2	25	4,562	4,090	1,684	223	45	143	99	107	137	..	170	54	25	468	4,850	3	13,688	42,670		
Hungarian.....	7	1	6	984	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total.....	103	4	167	25,212	20,080	12,702	1,241	358	993	1,478	391	604	..	716	272	158	2,320	25,108	11	\$66,880	\$182,043		
POTOMAC SYNOD:																							
Zion.....	22	..	37	7,501	6,082	3,587	287	60	425	209	104	123	..	122	122	38	703	8,415	7	\$23,168	\$53,439		
Maryland.....	41	4	68	12,553	9,407	5,718	474	58	430	195	71	202	..	120	150	61	1,141	10,096	1	31,387	71,708		
Mercesburg.....	15	2	25	4,370	3,669	1,684	105	100	215	78	31	87	..	22	73	21	394	4,182	5	12,053	25,459		
Virginia.....	14	1	31	2,943	2,198	1,847	47	49	90	60	28	67	..	13	43	28	259	2,930	8	7,536	14,872		
N. Carolina.....	35	..	57	5,939	4,348	1,768	164	113	331	130	20	145	..	141	63	51	550	7,084	8	9,981	25,860		
Gettysburg.....	14	..	31	7,193	6,011	3,462	259	16	332	101	49	115	..	29	102	31	512	6,396	9	17,158	39,333		
Carlisle.....	15	2	23	2,379	2,036	678	52	54	181	50	44	175	..	53	30	22	354	3,286	2	4,768	18,526		
Junata.....	23	..	52	7,360	5,926	3,057	243	146	401	133	177	89	..	193	97	49	751	7,879	3	14,407	36,142		
Total.....	179	9	324	50,184	39,672	20,141	1,031	596	2,325	956	522	985	..	702	684	301	4,604	50,118	39	\$121,294	\$285,149		

GERMAN OF EAST:									
New York	18	14	3,587	2,649	1,851	399	4	241	13
W. New York	18	13	5,253	3,718	2,051	191	12	166	43
Ger. Philadelphia	24	23	7,612	6,180	3,711	660	18	364	49
Ger. Maryland	8	9	2,368	1,735	1,117	148	1	110	13
Total	68	59	18,820	14,282	8,730	1,398	35	881	118
CENTRAL SYNOD:									
Eric	27	21	5,006	3,419	2,467	233	11	182	11
Heidelberg	24	26	5,324	3,937	2,335	167	34	158	59
St. John's	16	25	7,653	4,485	3,107	269	70	234	85
Cincinnati	15	14	3,234	2,488	1,574	135	6	96	11
Toledo	16	18	3,633	2,411	1,494	146	12	102	25
Total	98	104	24,850	16,740	10,977	950	133	772	200
SYN. OF INTERIOR:									
Illinois	10	20	780	567	301	38	10	29	18
Iowa	11	20	1,798	1,366	400	70	163	41	33
Kansas	11	8	963	794	380	26	30	41	37
Wichita	5	5	448	359	118	12	11	12	17
Lincoln	5	6	511	416	202	43	7	32	8
Total	42	59	4,500	3,493	1,401	189	221	297	121
SOUTHWEST SYNOD:									
Zion	12	10	2,789	2,154	1,045	92	20	66	21
Indiana	16	16	3,409	1,923	1,190	103	15	82	5
Missouri	8	10	1,182	700	643	51	2	26	9
Chicago	7	10	1,099	737	534	80	3	57	3
Kentucky	12	17	2,429	1,886	1,276	95	15	103	25
Total	55	63	10,899	7,400	4,788	430	64	334	62

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Eastern	356	14	563	134,057	103,465	61,073	5,325	1,961	6,430	2,350	2,182	2,264	2,751	2,062	589	129,151	137,401	48	\$82,571	\$89,591	
Ohio	106	6	222	32,361	26,381	7,317	973	753	1,469	771	639	607	1,093	466	210	379	37,052	26	91,281	260,531	
Northwest	146	1	198	19,576	13,175	10,381	1,150	55	918	324	394	336	336	229	188	1,121	8,513	27	33,666	182,704	
Pittsburgh	103	4	167	25,212	20,080	12,702	1,241	258	903	1,476	391	684	716	272	158	2,320	25,108	11	60,880	182,043	
Potomac	179	9	324	50,184	39,672	20,141	1,631	596	2,325	596	522	984	702	684	301	4,664	50,118	39	121,294	285,149	
German of East	68	1	59	18,820	14,282	8,730	1,398	35	881	118	649	181	869	294	59	1,173	14,449	9	18,107	160,162	
Central	98	2	104	24,850	16,740	10,977	950	133	772	200	485	252	724	323	101	1,728	19,865	19	35,869	169,066	
Interior	42	3	59	4,500	3,493	1,401	189	221	297	121	89	106	177	48	52	750	5,948	7	13,715	45,835	
Southwest	55	2	63	10,899	7,400	4,788	430	64	334	62	204	87	149	153	61	734	9,040	19	17,647	85,504	
Total	1,213	42	1,759	320,459	244,688	137,510	13,287	3,176	14,419	6,020	5,555	5,502	17,512	4,533	719	29,197	307,794	241	\$680,450	\$2,201,545	

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EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS OF THE REFORMED CHURCH IN THE UNITED STATES

NAME	WHEN FOUNDED	LOCATION	PRESIDENT OR PRINCIPAL	INSTRUC- TORS			STUDENTS			Total Value of Property	Amount of Endowment	Volumes in Library	Date of Next Anniversary
				Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total				
F. and M. College.....	1787	Lancaster, Pa.....	Henry Harbaugh Apple, D.D., LL.D.	17	11	28	17	326	343	\$476,375	\$485,645	48,000	June 8, 1916
F. and M. Academy.....	1787	Lancaster, Pa.....	{ Thaddeus G. Helm, A.M. Edwin M. Hartman, A.M.....}	14	14	28	14	192	206	175,000	.....	*	June 1, 1916
Theol. Seminary of the Ref. Church in the U. S.....	1825	Lancaster, Pa.....	John C. Bowman, D.D.....	7	1	8	50	50	100	250,000	307,018	18,500	May 11, 1916
Cen. Theol. Seminary of the Ref. Church in the U. S.....	1850	Dayton, Ohio.....	Henry J. Christman, D.D.....	8	3	11	8	39	47	100,000	100,000	8,000	May 4, 1916
Heidelberg University.....	1850	Tiffin, Ohio.....	Charles E. Miller, D.D., LL.D.....	23	32	55	9	386	395	400,000	343,946	15,000	June 14, 1916
Catawba College and Fitting School.....	1851	Newton, N. C.....	J. D. Andrew, A.B.....	5	7	12	81	79	160	100,000	38,000	4,000	May 25, 1916
Mission House Seminary of the Ref. Ch. of the U. S.....	1862	Plymouth, Wis.....	E. A. Hofer, D.D.....	10	10	20	10	92	102	30,000	50,000	18,000	May 29, 1916
Mission House College.....	1862	Plymouth, Wis.....	J. G. Glaubitz, A.M.....	42	14	56	42	406	448	500,000	13,000	3,000	May 31, 1916
Mission House Academy.....	1865	Mercersburg, Pa.....	Wm. Mar. F. Irvine, Ph.D., LL.D.....	3	12	15	17	118	135	284,052	236,100	15,000	June 1, 1916
The Mercersburg Academy.....	1866	Allentown, Pa.....	William F. Curtis, Litt.D.....	17	11	28	17	141	158	284,052	236,100	15,000	June 1, 1916
The College for Women.....	1869	Collegeville, Pa.....	George Leslie Onwale, Ph.D.....	6	17	23	6	308	314	250,000	42,500	6,000	June 14, 1916
Ursinus College.....	1880	Hickory, N. C.....	Joseph L. Murphy, D.D.....	5	2	7	5	80	85	50,000	.....	1,500	June 1-3, 1916
Hood College.....	1883	Frederick, Md.....	Jos. H. Apple, A.M., Ph.D.....	31	1	32	31	499	530	77,000	.....	6,000	.....
Massachusetts Academy.....	1886	Woodstock, Va.....	D. B. Schneider, D.D.....	15	7	22	15	188	203	37,000	1,500	525	.....
North Japan College.....	1886	Sendai, Japan.....	Allen K. Faust, Ph.D.....	9	1	10	9	110	119	28,000	350	400	.....
Miyagi Girls' School.....	1903	Yochow City, China	Wm. E. Hoy, D.D.....	3	2	5	3	60	63	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lakeside Schools.....	1903	Yochow City, China	Miss Anna C. Kanne.....	10	10	20	10	60	70	4,000	.....	.....	.....
Ziemer Girls' School.....	1907	Shenchowfu, China.	J. Frank Bucher.....	1	3	4	1	40	41	.....	.....	.....	.....
Eastview Boys' School.....	1907	Shenchowfu, China.	Miss Rebecca Messmer.....	1	3	4	1	40	41

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ORPHANS' HOMES—HOMES FOR AGED—HOSPITALS

Name	Founded	Location	Superintendent	Value of Property	Guests	Treasurer	Next Anniversary
Bethany Orphans' Home of the Ref. Ch. in U.S.	Sep. 21, 1863.	Womelsdorf, Pa.	Rev. W. F. More, D.D.	\$ 145,000	105	Christ, G. Gross, 879 N. 41st St., Phila., Pa.	Aug. 31, 1916.
St. Paul's Orphans' Home	Dec. 10, 1867.	Greenville, Pa.	Rev. A. M. Keifer.....	125,459	92	Rev. Lewis Robb, D.D., Wilkensburg, Pa.	June 1, 1916.
Ft. Wayne Orphans' Home	.....	Ft. Wayne, Ind.	Rev. J. F. Winter.....	86,000	90	Rev. H. H. Kartmann, Berne, Ind.	Aug. 1, 1916.
Nazareth Orphans' Home	Oct. 30, 1903.	Crescent, N. C.	Rev. J. W. Bell.....	12,000	41	Geo. H. Moose, Gold Hill, N. C.	Aug. 3, 1916.
The George W. and Agnes Hoffman Orphanage	Jan. 3, 1910.	Near Littleton, Pa.	Rev. J. S. Hartman....	45,000	31	Rev. C. S. Slagle, D.D., Westminster, Md.	July 26, 1916.
German Hospital	.....	Cleveland, Ohio.....	Rev. F. W. Leitch.....	100,000	100	P. Wetzel, 2969 W. 25th St., Cleveland, O.	May 1, 1916.
The Phoebe Deaconess Home of the Ref. Ch. in U. S.	.....	Allentown, Pa.....	Miss C. J. Dreihelbics	100,000	30	Rev. R. M. Kern, Allentown, Pa.	June 1, 1916.

COMPARATIVE SUMMARY — YEAR 1915 WITH YEAR 1914*

CLASSES		Members		Gain		Loss		Benev- olence		Gain		Loss		Congrega- tional		Gain		Loss	
EASTERN SYNOD:		14,311		474		18,926		\$4,014		\$49,247		\$143,829		\$4,014		\$18,926		\$4,014	
East Penna.	11,933	381	11,933	381	11,933	381	11,933	381	11,933	381	11,933	381	11,933	381	11,933	381	11,933	381	
Lebanon	11,297	1192	11,297	1192	11,297	1192	11,297	1192	11,297	1192	11,297	1192	11,297	1192	11,297	1192	11,297	1192	
Philadelphia	11,344	678	11,344	678	11,344	678	11,344	678	11,344	678	11,344	678	11,344	678	11,344	678	11,344	678	
Lancaster	9,308	519	9,308	519	9,308	519	9,308	519	9,308	519	9,308	519	9,308	519	9,308	519	9,308	519	
E. Susquehanna	14,516	239	14,516	239	14,516	239	14,516	239	14,516	239	14,516	239	14,516	239	14,516	239	14,516	239	
W. Susquehanna	6,337	261	6,337	261	6,337	261	6,337	261	6,337	261	6,337	261	6,337	261	6,337	261	6,337	261	
Tohickon	10,174	239	10,174	239	10,174	239	10,174	239	10,174	239	10,174	239	10,174	239	10,174	239	10,174	239	
Goshenhoppen	8,384	39	8,384	39	8,384	39	8,384	39	8,384	39	8,384	39	8,384	39	8,384	39	8,384	39	
Lehigh	21,652	639	21,652	639	21,652	639	21,652	639	21,652	639	21,652	639	21,652	639	21,652	639	21,652	639	
Schuylkill	7,861	315	7,861	315	7,861	315	7,861	315	7,861	315	7,861	315	7,861	315	7,861	315	7,861	315	
Wyoming	10,433	2940	10,433	2940	10,433	2940	10,433	2940	10,433	2940	10,433	2940	10,433	2940	10,433	2940	10,433	2940	
Reading	13,690	112	13,690	112	13,690	112	13,690	112	13,690	112	13,690	112	13,690	112	13,690	112	13,690	112	
Hunan (China)	13,690	112	13,690	112	13,690	112	13,690	112	13,690	112	13,690	112	13,690	112	13,690	112	13,690	112	
Total	134,057	5115	134,057	5115	134,057	5115	134,057	5115	134,057	5115	134,057	5115	134,057	5115	134,057	5115	134,057	5115	
OHIO SYNOD:		7,465		144		\$15,665		\$61,128		\$8,633		\$1,755		\$6,384		\$1,755		\$6,384	
Miami	3,012	11	3,012	11	3,012	11	3,012	11	3,012	11	3,012	11	3,012	11	3,012	11	3,012	11	
Lancaster	9,378	68	9,378	68	9,378	68	9,378	68	9,378	68	9,378	68	9,378	68	9,378	68	9,378	68	
Tuscarawas	4,995	136	4,995	136	4,995	136	4,995	136	4,995	136	4,995	136	4,995	136	4,995	136	4,995	136	
Tiffin	4,067	33	4,067	33	4,067	33	4,067	33	4,067	33	4,067	33	4,067	33	4,067	33	4,067	33	
Eastern Ohio	4,116	32	4,116	32	4,116	32	4,116	32	4,116	32	4,116	32	4,116	32	4,116	32	4,116	32	
St. Joseph	3,425	38	3,425	38	3,425	38	3,425	38	3,425	38	3,425	38	3,425	38	3,425	38	3,425	38	
Total	32,361	280	32,361	280	32,361	280	32,361	280	32,361	280	32,361	280	32,361	280	32,361	280	32,361	280	
SYNOD OF NORTH- WEST:		5,750		213		\$6,384		\$1,755		\$38,162		\$82		\$38,162		\$82		\$38,162	
Sheboygan	2,766	76	2,766	76	2,766	76	2,766	76	2,766	76	2,766	76	2,766	76	2,766	76	2,766	76	
Milwaukee	2,133	7	2,133	7	2,133	7	2,133	7	2,133	7	2,133	7	2,133	7	2,133	7	2,133	7	
Minnesota	2,633	6	2,633	6	2,633	6	2,633	6	2,633	6	2,633	6	2,633	6	2,633	6	2,633	6	
Nebraska	1,941	66	1,941	66	1,941	66	1,941	66	1,941	66	1,941	66	1,941	66	1,941	66	1,941	66	
Urusus	2,160	44	2,160	44	2,160	44	2,160	44	2,160	44	2,160	44	2,160	44	2,160	44	2,160	44	
South Dakota	998	49	998	49	998	49	998	49	998	49	998	49	998	49	998	49	998	49	
Portl. Oregon	1,148	409	1,148	409	1,148	409	1,148	409	1,148	409	1,148	409	1,148	409	1,148	409	1,148	409	
Manitoba	1,957	944	1,957	944	1,957	944	1,957	944	1,957	944	1,957	944	1,957	944	1,957	944	1,957	944	
Eureka	7,833	419	7,833	419	7,833	419	7,833	419	7,833	419	7,833	419	7,833	419	7,833	419	7,833	419	
Total	3,877	146	3,877	146	3,877	146	3,877	146	3,877	146	3,877	146	3,877	146	3,877	146	3,877	146	
PITTSBURGH SYNOD:		3,335		192		\$6,533		\$10,443		\$3,837		\$29		\$9,454		\$29		\$9,454	
Westmoreland	4,621	112	4,621	112	4,621	112	4,621	112	4,621	112	4,621	112	4,621	112	4,621	112	4,621	112	
St. Paul	4,562	984	4,562	984	4,562	984	4,562	984	4,562	984	4,562	984	4,562	984	4,562	984	4,562	984	
Somerset	25,212	723	25,212	723	25,212	723	25,212	723	25,212	723	25,212	723	25,212	723	25,212	723	25,212	723	
Allegany	7,501	102	7,501	102	7,501	102	7,501	102	7,501	102	7,501	102	7,501	102	7,501	102	7,501	102	
Hungarian	12,553	107	12,553	107	12,553	107	12,553	107	12,553	107	12,553	107	12,553	107	12,553	107	12,553	107	
Total	4,370	48	4,370	48	4,370	48	4,370	48	4,370	48	4,370	48	4,370	48	4,370	48	4,370	48	
POTOMAC SYNOD:		2,943		157		\$7,536		\$25,459		\$1,776		\$82		\$25,459		\$82		\$25,459	
Zion	5,939	157	5,939	157	5,939	157	5,939	157	5,939	157	5,939	157	5,939	157	5,939	157	5,939	157	
Maryland	7,193	212	7,193	212	7,193	212	7,193	212	7,193	212	7,193	212	7,193	212	7,193	212	7,193	212	
Mercersburg	2,379	118	2,379	118	2,379	118	2,379	118	2,379	118	2,379	118	2,379	118	2,379	118	2,379	118	
Virginia	5,253	179	5,253	179	5,253	179	5,253	179	5,253	179	5,253	179	5,253	179	5,253	179	5,253	179	
North Carolina	7,612	75	7,612	75	7,612	75	7,612	75	7,612	75	7,612	75	7,612	75	7,612	75	7,612	75	
Gettysburg	2,379	118	2,379	118	2,379	118	2,379	118	2,379	118	2,379	118	2,379	118	2,379	118	2,379	118	
Carlisle	7,366	310	7,366	310	7,366	310	7,366	310	7,366	310	7,366	310	7,366	310	7,366	310	7,366	310	
Junata	50,154	1114	50,154	1114	50,154	1114	50,154	1114	50,154	1114	50,154	1114	50,154	1114	50,154	1114	50,154	1114	
Total	3,587	146	3,587	146	3,587	146	3,587	146	3,587	146	3,587	146	3,587	146	3,587	146	3,587	146	
GERMAN OF EAST:		18,820		92		\$18,107		\$15,952		\$15,952		\$4,587		\$15,952		\$4,587		\$15,952	
New York	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	
W. New York	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	
Germ. Phila.	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	
Germ. Maryl'd	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	
Total	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	18,820	92	

CLASSES		Members		Gain		Loss		Benev- olence		Gain		Loss		Congrega- tional		Gain		Loss	
CENTRAL SYN.:		5,006		145		6,305		\$1,809		\$33,408		\$5,001		\$33,408		\$5,001		\$33,408	
Eric	5,324	123	5,324	123	5,324	123	5,324	123	5,324	123	5,324	123	5,324	123	5,324	123	5,324	123	
Heidelberg	7,533	145	7,533	145	7,533	145	7,533	145	7,533	145	7,533	145	7,533	145	7,533	145	7,533	145	
St. John	3,234	48	3,234	48	3,234	48	3,234	48	3,234	48	3,234	48	3,234	48	3,234	48	3,234	48	
Cincinnati	3,633	273	3,633	273	3,633	273	3,633	273	3,633	273	3,633	273	3,633	273	3,633	273	3,633	273	
Toledo	24,850	541	24,850	541	24,850	541	24,850	541	24,850	541	24,850	541	24,850	541	24,850	541	24,850	541	
Total	780	152	780	152	780	152	780	152	780	152	780	152	780	152	780	152	780	152	
SYNOD OF IN- TERIOR:		1,798		156		5,533		\$2,239		\$14,652		\$3,448		\$14,652		\$3,448		\$14,652	
Illinois	963	31	963	31	963	31	963	31	963	31	963	31	963	31	963	31	963	31	
Iowa	448	17	448	17	448	17	448	17	448	17	448	17	448	17	448	17	448	17	
Kansas	511	23	511	23	511	23	511	23	511	23	511	23	511	23	511	23	511	23	
Wichita	4,500	227	4,500	227	4,500	227	4,500	227	4,500	227	4,500	227	4,500	227	4,500	227	4,500	227	
Lincoln	1,263	114	1,263	114	1,263	114	1,263	114	1,263	114	1,263	114	1,263	114	1,263	114	1,263	114	
Total	13,715	3,500	13,715	3,500	13,715	3,500	13,715	3,500	13,715	3,500	13,715	3,500	13,715	3,500	13,715	3,500	13,715	3,500	
SYNOD OF S. WEST:		2,789		55		6,337		\$1,777		\$17,341		\$1,482		\$17,341		\$1,482		\$17,341	
Zion	3,409	138	3,409	138	3,409	138	3,409	138	3,409	138	3,4								

SUMMARY

SYNODS:																		
Eastern	134,057	5115	163	\$282,571	\$77,919													
Ohio	32,361	280	149	91,281	22,478													
Northwest	19,576	944	27	33,066	6,890													
Pittsburgh	25,212	723	213	66,880	14,856													
Potomac	50,184	1114	285	121,294	67,798													
Ger. of East	18,820	92	325	18,107	4,587													
Central	24,850	541	80	35,889	6,503													
Interior	4,500	227	152	13,715	3,500													
Southwest	10,899	356	199	17,647	4,036													
Total	329,459	9392	1593	\$680,450	\$59,902													

COMPARATIVE SUMMARY OF THE REFORMED CHURCH IN THE UNITED STATES

BEING A TRIENNIAL EXHIBIT FOR THE LAST THIRTY YEARS.

	1884	1887	1890	1893	1896	1899	1902	1905	1908	1911	1914
Synods	7	7	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	9
Classes	52	54	86	85	55	57	58	57	50	61	61
Ministers	783	842	835	885	901	1,029	1,121	1,137	1,170	1,201	1,217
Congregations	1,465	1,481	1,558	1,883	1,939	1,600	1,699	1,730	1,753	1,759	1,770
Members	169,530	183,980	200,498	212,430	226,572	242,299	255,408	264,931	289,328	297,820	312,660
Baptisms, unconfirmed	103,122	108,724	112,480	121,57	125,779	125,752	129,864	124,983	135,547	133,056	134,751
Baptisms, infants, given year	12,665	14,199	14,608	14,528	13,758	13,816	13,457	13,803	14,247	13,762	13,945
Baptisms, infants, in three years	38,737	42,299	42,808	42,058	43,075	42,337	40,641	41,110	43,209	41,765	41,588
Baptisms, adults, given year	1,017	1,741	1,595	1,594	1,966	1,886	1,830	2,021	2,305	2,383	2,668
Baptisms, adults, in three years	3,088	4,254	4,509	4,754	5,456	5,782	5,269	5,534	6,720	6,925	7,674
Confirmed, given year	9,233	10,733	10,759	11,758	11,792	11,647	11,366	12,308	12,713	12,922	13,604
Confirmed, in three years	27,223	30,588	31,583	32,392	33,646	34,775	34,787	35,200	37,070	37,904	49,032
Certificate, given year	5,043	5,582	6,561	7,431	7,297	7,360	8,504	9,368	9,525	8,340	5,848
Certificate, in three years	14,046	16,472	18,558	21,045	22,619	22,472	24,621	27,116	29,357	25,050	16,862
Communed, given year	136,897	146,436	155,118	169,314	182,435	194,921	198,815	212,590	222,606	230,638	238,963
Communed, in three years	2,122	2,551	3,061	3,292	3,483	3,787	4,391	4,628	5,151	5,124	5,574
Dismissed, given year	5,819	7,250	8,700	9,872	10,594	10,864	12,729	13,535	14,584	14,735	15,425
Dismissed, in three years	68	38	55	26	27	23	32	25	7	46	4
Excommunicated, given year	227	168	139	122	45	67	100	74	32	80	21
Excommunicated, in three years	1,699	2,381	3,117	3,975	4,950	5,194	5,489	5,225	6,043	8,827	6,493
Erased, given year	5,351	6,301	8,640	10,753	13,239	15,877	16,487	10,407	18,671	22,404	21,647
Erased, in three years	4,787	4,638	5,107	6,130	5,693	5,142	6,258	6,010	4,337	4,505	4,488
Deaths, given year	15,202	14,207	15,250	16,645	16,166	16,131	18,567	14,614	13,343	13,120	13,383
Deaths, in three years	1,378	1,422	1,513	1,563	1,644	1,466	1,662	1,648	1,697	1,748	1,732
Sunday-schools, given year .....	.....	.....	3,967	13,319	20,096	24,770	14,796	24,789	25,477	28,044	28,385
Officers and teachers, given year .....	.....	.....	138,616	149,023	172,458	182,134	200,178	208,524	221,784	267,738	287,668
Sunday-school scholars, given year	114,720	122,695	186	285	394	273	199	194	212	225	243
Students for ministry, given year	145	186	285	285	394	273	199	194	212	225	243
Benevolent contributions, given year	\$101,148	\$141,122	\$161,078	\$236,321	\$204,401	\$204,401	\$283,954	\$332,701	\$403,924	\$579,768	\$594,131
Benevolent contributions, three years	327,888	382,493	479,625	649,892	676,271	630,030	793,464	1,403,428	1,198,814	1,402,793	1,646,515
Congregational purposes, given year	770,572	804,321	874,953	1,060,229	1,066,709	1,093,791	1,396,654	1,494,629	1,771,595	1,942,395	2,161,410
Congregational purposes, three years	2,193,018	2,298,328	2,580,945	3,022,174	3,067,780	3,216,556	3,889,799	4,552,649	5,180,955	5,560,431	6,221,246

FESTIVAL DAYS FOR 1916 AND 1917

First Sunday in Advent Dec. 2
Christmas Dec. 25

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Septuagesima Sunday	Feb. 20	Feb. 4
Sexagesima Sunday	Feb. 27	Feb. 11
Quinquagesima Sunday	March 5	Feb. 18
Shrove Tuesday	March 7	Feb. 20
Ash Wednesday	March 8	Feb. 21
Quadragesima Sunday	March 12	Feb. 25
Palm Sunday	April 16	April 1
Good Friday	April 21	April 6
Easter Sunday	April 23	April 8
Ascension Day	June 1	May 17
Whit Sunday	June 11	May 27
Trinity Sunday	June 18	June 3

SPECIAL DAYS 1916

Reformation Day	Jan. 16
Foreign Mission Day	Feb. 13
Mother's Day	May 7
Children's Day	June 11
Labor Day	Sept. 4
Home Mission Day	Nov. 12
Thanksgiving Day	Nov. 30
For Commencement and Anniversary Days see table on Literary Institutions, Orphans' Homes etc.	

BENEVOLENT CONTRIBUTIONS OF THE REFORMED CHURCH, BY SYNODS*

Year	Ministers	Members	Eastern Synod	Ohio Synod	Synod of the Northwest	Pittsburgh Synod	Potomac Synod	German Synod of the East	Central Synod	Synod of the Interior	Synod of the Southwest	Total Benevolent Contributions
1870.....	522	116,529	\$46,265	\$11,119	\$9,954	\$8,558	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$76,000
1875.....	623	142,118	40,390	10,419	8,887	13,462	\$11,416	\$4,491	.....	.....	.....	88,117
1880.....	746	161,002	27,734	6,834	12,555	6,457	16,019	3,802	.....	.....	.....	73,401
1881.....	752	163,669	35,859	18,816	12,109	7,249	15,239	3,665	.....	.....	.....	92,937
1882.....	767	166,586	37,956	11,724	5,658	49,100	14,093	5,349	\$7,927	.....	.....	133,816
1883.....	783	169,530	37,158	11,915	8,580	11,898	17,355	5,589	8,653	.....	.....	101,148
1884.....	780	172,949	45,705	10,783	12,617	11,076	29,068	6,978	10,156	.....	.....	127,284
1885.....	788	177,037	47,205	11,082	9,711	8,614	21,928	5,658	9,889	.....	.....	114,087
1886.....	802	183,980	59,744	14,825	10,252	8,824	32,912	5,662	8,893	.....	.....	141,122
1887.....	822	190,527	60,931	13,203	13,573	11,308	30,366	6,223	8,769	02,924	.....	147,297
1888.....	823	194,344	69,178	14,687	11,641	19,197	36,727	5,523	12,530	1,767	.....	171,250
1889.....	835	200,492	71,433	12,713	12,194	10,711	32,231	9,571	9,513	2,712	.....	161,078
1890.....	856	203,858	75,416	33,234	13,585	24,331	37,729	8,286	10,294	2,320	.....	205,195
1891.....	867	208,080	78,925	15,258	16,581	42,197	32,074	7,629	13,189	2,523	.....	208,376
1892.....	885	212,830	119,285	26,452	14,754	21,001	28,653	9,996	13,202	2,978	.....	236,231
1893.....	922	216,436	94,611	18,762	14,886	28,165	40,457	7,710	12,014	3,314	.....	219,919
1894.....	938	221,473	140,726	16,421	14,487	20,166	39,636	9,339	13,658	3,263	.....	257,956
1895.....	953	224,443	91,429	20,830	13,470	16,744	32,078	8,438	17,005	3,578	.....	203,572
1896.....	1,000	229,100	81,340	18,266	14,060	21,648	32,596	7,864	15,195	3,173	.....	194,145
1897.....	1,039	234,612	92,095	17,275	15,394	20,274	57,191	10,322	15,948	4,660	.....	233,159
1898.....	1,029	242,299	84,312	17,806	13,995	21,396	38,114	9,062	13,807	4,234	.....	202,726
1899.....	1,077	239,930	79,428	22,249	15,016	22,677	40,777	7,372	12,655	5,333	.....	205,507
1900.....	1,074	242,831	96,184	24,073	17,678	32,785	42,466	9,256	16,847	5,141	.....	244,430
1901.....	1,107	248,929	102,118	25,056	20,717	29,971	44,959	9,223	17,662	6,268	.....	270,288
1902.....	1,112	255,408	114,071	30,410	25,923	37,111	42,987	9,148	18,104	6,194	.....	283,954
1903.....	1,117	255,880	112,340	35,911	20,167	33,301	43,630	10,530	18,905	7,108	.....	281,892
1904.....	1,160	263,954	122,396	65,311	23,014	36,404	87,322	10,636	22,653	6,962	.....	374,698
1905.....	1,151	264,931	136,387	41,128	23,374	41,563	60,688	11,011	21,685	6,884	.....	332,720
1906.....	1,175	279,483	135,993	34,565	25,837	39,739	84,338	12,587	21,905	7,811	.....	362,775
1907.....	1,164	284,073	146,950	35,601	28,353	71,560	106,375	12,671	22,576	8,029	.....	432,115
1908.....	1,179	289,328	163,637	38,284	31,944	55,589	67,997	11,750	24,037	10,680	.....	403,924
1909.....	1,197	293,836	185,081	47,232	32,809	61,852	78,832	12,033	25,317	9,755	.....	452,911
1910.....	1,196	297,116	165,673	90,713	31,919	48,690	75,608	11,884	26,811	9,816	.....	470,114
1911.....	1,201	297,829	283,271	72,773	43,618	46,624	78,428	15,596	29,553	9,905	.....	579,768
1912.....	1,209	300,952	181,590	49,636	56,204	46,020	99,331	20,423	30,434	8,773	.....	402,411
1913.....	1,210	306,337	211,023	67,940	46,538	60,150	113,677	15,093	32,538	13,014	.....	559,973
1914.....	1,217	312,660	204,652	68,803	28,999	53,076	170,838	14,116	29,386	10,215	14,955	594,131
1915.....	1,221	320,459	282,571	91,281	33,066	66,880	121,294	18,107	35,889	13,715	17,647	680,450

* Figures for years 1870-75-80 published in Almanac for 1908 and in Almanacs for years previous.

WHERE TO SEND CHURCH MONEY

OBJECT	IN WHAT SYNOD	TREASURER	ADDRESS
Foreign Missions.....	General Synod.....	A.R.Bartholomew,D.D.,Sec.	15th and Race Sts., Philad., Pa.
Home Missions.....	General Synod.....	J. S. Wise.....	15th and Race Sts., Philad., Pa.
Home Missions.....	German Synod of the East...	Rev. J. B. Forster.....	2631 Filmore St., Philad., Pa.
Home Missions.....	Ohio Synod.....	Rev. H. N. Kerst.....	Miamisburg, Ohio. [Ind.]
Home Missions.....	N. W., S. W. and Cent. Syn.	Rev. W. H. Knierim.....	1035 S. New Jersey St., Indianapolis,
Home Missions.....	Interior Synod.....	Rev. H. L. Krause.....	1400 Rebecca St., Sioux City, Ia.
Sunday-School Missionary Work	General Synod.....	Calvin O. Althouse.....	15th and Race Sts., Philad., Pa.
Beneficiary Education.....	Eastern Synod.....	John Hertzler.....	Lancaster, Pa.
Beneficiary Education.....	Ohio Synod.....	H. J. Christman, D.D.....	Dayton, Ohio.
Beneficiary Education.....	Pittsburgh Synod.....	.....	.....
Beneficiary Education.....	Potomac Synod.....	Dr. Wm. C. Schaeffer.....	Lancaster, Pa.
Board of Ministerial Relief of	.....	.....	.....
Ref. Church in U. S.....	General Synod.....	J. W. Meminger, D.D.....	Lancaster, Pa.
Society for Relief of Ministers.	General Synod.....	Rev. S. S. Miller.....	Frederick, Md.
Soc. f. Sup. of Indigent Ministers	N'th W. and S'th W. Synods	Rev. Prof. J. W. Grosshuesch	Plymouth, Wis., R. F. D. 29.
Eastern Theological Seminary..	Eastern Synod.....	John Hertzler.....	Lancaster, Pa.
Central Theological Seminary..	Ohio Synod.....	Hon. Horace Ankeney.....	Xenia, Ohio, R. F. D. 7.
Franklin and Marshall College.	Eastern Synod.....	C. A. Sauber.....	Lancaster, Pa.
Heidelberg University.....	Ohio Synod.....	W. W. Keller.....	Tiffin, Ohio.
Mercersburg Academy.....	Potomac Synod.....	J. M. Drumm.....	Mercersburg, Pa.
Ursinus College.....	Eastern Synod.....	J. Thuman Ebert.....	Norristown, Pa.
Catawba College.....	Potomac Synod.....	M. J. Rowe.....	Newton, N. C.
Mission House.....	Four German Synods.....	J. J. Janett, D.D.....	Sheboygan, Wis.
Bethany Orphans' Home.....	Eastern Synod.....	C. G. Gross.....	879 N. 41st St., Philad., Pa.
St. Paul's Orphans' Home.....	Pittsburgh Synod.....	Lewis Robb, D.D.....	Wilkinsburg, Pa.
Fort Wayne Orphans' Home.....	Four German Synods.....	Rev. H. H. Kattmann.....	Berne, Ind.
Nazareth Orphans' Home.....	Potomac Synod.....	George H. Moose.....	Gold Hill, N. C.
The Geo. W. and Agnes Hoff-	.....	.....	.....
man Orphans' Home.....	Potomac Synod.....	C. S. Slagle, D.D.....	Westminster, Md.
Missions Among the Indians...	Sheboygan Classis.....	Rev. S. Romeis.....	R. 30, Campbellsport, Wis.
Church-Building.....	N. W., S. W. and Cent. Syn.	Rev. J. Friedli.....	Sheboygan, Wis.
Church-Building.....	German Synod of the East...	Carl Zies.....	314 Fremont Ave., Balto., Md.
Deaconess Home.....	Ohio Synod.....	J. S. Spring.....	Alliance, Ohio.
Phoebe Deaconess Home.....	Eastern Synod.....	Rev. Robt. M. Kern.....	531 Chew St., Allentown, Pa.
German Hospital.....	Central Synod.....	Peter Wetzel.....	2969 W. 25th St., Cleveland, O.
College for Women.....	Eastern Synod.....	Jacob W. Grim.....	Allentown, Pa.
The Women's College.....	Potomac Synod.....	A. C. McCardell.....	Frederick, Md.
Ref. Evang. and Educa. Union.	Eastern Synod.....	Rev. W. A. Kline.....	Collegeville, Pa.

AGED MINISTERS IN OUR CHURCH

"Thou shalt rise up before the hoary head and honor the face of the old man."—Lev. 19:32.
The following ministers have been ordained over fifty years:

NAME	Or- dained	ADDRESS	NAME	Or- dained	ADDRESS
Rev. John Gantenbein, D.D....	1851	Portland, Oregon.	Rev. Samuel Z. Beam, D.D....	1862	Tiffin, Ohio.
Rev. Peter C. Prugh, D.D....	1851	San Gabriel, Cal.	Rev. Charles T. Martin, D.D....	1862	Plymouth, Wis.
Rev. William K. Zieber, D.D....	1851	Hanover, Pa.	Rev. J. H. Stepler, D.D....	1862	Cleveland, Ohio.
Rev. William Spies.....	1854	Decatur, Ind.	Rev. Cyrus Cort, D.D....	1863	Overlea, Bal.Co., Md.
Rev. Eli Keller, D.D....	1855	Allentown, Pa.	Rev. William C. Cremer, D.D....	1863	Chambersburg, Pa...
Rev. Lewis C. Edmonds.....	1856	Creston, Ohio.	Rev. U. Henry Heilman.....	1863	Lebanon, Pa. . . .
Rev. Abraham B. Koplin, D.D....	1857	Hellertown, Pa.	Rev. Nehemiah H. Skyles.....	1863	Woodstock, Va.
Rev. Christopher Schiller.....	1857	Cleveland, Ohio.	Rev. A. Carl Whitmer, D.D....	1863	Waynesboro, Pa.
Rev. Walter E. Krebs, D.D....	1858	Lancaster, Pa.	Rev. John G. Noss.....	1864	New Holland, Pa.
Rev. Frederick A. Gast, D.D....	1859	Lancaster, Pa.	Rev. Jacob F. Snyder.....	1864	New Kensington, Pa.
Rev. Abner R. Kremer, D.D....	1859	Allen, Pa.	Rev. John Ingle.....	1864	Green Park, N. C.
Rev. John I. Swander, D.D....	1859	Tiffin, Ohio.	Rev. A. J. Heller, D.D....	1865	Greensburg, Pa.
Rev. Thomas J. Barkley, D.D....	1860	Gettysburg, Pa.	Rev. Simon S. Miller.....	1865	Frederick, Md.
Rev. John Biery.....	1861	St. Joseph, Mo.	Rev. Christian H. Schoepfle....	1865	Birmingham, O.
Rev. James Hefley.....	1861	Canal Winchester, O.	Rev. Thos. F. Stauffer.....	1865	Emporia, Kans.
Rev. Jacob Kehm.....	1861	Pottstown, Pa.			

PERIODICALS — I. Published by or under the authority of the Reformed Church in the U. S.

NAME	WHERE PUBLISHED	HOW OFTEN ISSUED	FIRST ISSUED
<i>English</i>			
Reformed Church Messenger.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	Weekly	1828
Christian World.....	Cleveland, Ohio	Weekly	1848
Reformed Church Review.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	Quarterly	1849
Sunshine.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	Weekly	1879
Advanced Scholar's Quarterly.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	Monthly	1882
Heidelberg Teacher.....	Philadelphia, Pa. and Cleveland, O.	Quarterly	1883
Reformed Church Standard.....	Crescent, N. C.	Semi-Monthly	1892
Reformed Church Herald.....	Tipton, Iowa	Weekly	1895
Lesson Leaf (Advanced Scholars).....	Philadelphia, Pa.	Quarterly	1896
Intermediate Scholar's Quarterly.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	Quarterly	1896
Heidelberg Picture Card.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	Quarterly	1896
Heidelberg Picture Roll.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	Quarterly	1896
Church Festival Helper.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	Quarterly	1896
Home Dept. and Adult Class Magazine....	Philadelphia, Pa. and Cleveland, O.	Quarterly	1899
Junior Scholar's Quarterly.....	Philadelphia, Pa. and Cleveland, O.	Quarterly	1900
American Hungarian Reformed Sentinel..	Bridgeport, Conn.	Weekly	1900
North Japan Church Times (Japanese)....	Sendai, Japan	Monthly	1901
The Outlook of Missions.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	Monthly	1909
The Way—A Young People's Weekly.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	Weekly	1909
Graded Sunday-School Lessons (Beginners)	Philadelphia, Pa.	Weekly	1909
Graded Sunday-School Lessons (Primary)...	Philadelphia, Pa.	Quarterly	1909
Graded Sunday-School Lessons (Junior)...	Philadelphia, Pa.	Quarterly	1909
Leaves of Light for Boys and Girls.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	Weekly	1911
Leaves of Light for Boys and Girls.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	Monthly (Mission Number)	1911
<i>German</i>			
Reformierte Kirchenzeitung.....	Cleveland, Ohio	Weekly	1838
Lämmerhirte.....	Cleveland, Ohio	Semi-Monthly	1859
Lektionsblätter.....	Cleveland, Ohio	Quarterly	1874
Der Missionsbote.....	Cleveland, Ohio	Monthly	1885
Der kleine Kinderfreund.....	Cleveland, Ohio	Quarterly	1888
Bibel-Lektions Bilderkarten.....	Cleveland, Ohio	Weekly	...
Bildersaal für Sonntagsschulen.....	Cleveland, Ohio	Weekly	...
<i>Hungarian</i>			
Evangel.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	Monthly	1904
Picture Cards.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	Quarterly	1904

II. Published by Institutions, etc.

Orphan's Friend.....	Greenville, Pa.	Monthly	1880
College Student.....	Lancaster, Pa.	Monthly	1880
Reformed Church Record.....	Reading, Pa.	Weekly	1888
Mercersburg Academy News.....	Mercersburg, Pa.	Weekly	1889
Franklin and Marshall Weekly.....	Lancaster, Pa.	Weekly	1890
The College Folio.....	Allentown, Pa.	Monthly	1894
Kilikilik.....	Tiffin, Ohio	Bi-weekly	1895
The Lesbian Herald.....	Frederick, Md.	Monthly	1896
Mission House Aerolith.....	Franklin, Wis.	Monthly	1896
Mercersburg Academy Literary Magazine.	Mercersburg, Pa.	Monthly	1901
Catawba College News.....	Newton, N. C.	Monthly	1901
The Ursinus Weekly.....	Collegeville, Pa.	Weekly	1902
Ursinus College Bulletin.....	Collegeville, Pa.	Bi-monthly	1903
The Orphans' Home Messenger.....	Fort Wayne, Ind.	Monthly	1904
Mercersburg Alumni Quarterly.....	Mercersburg, Pa.	Quarterly	1905
The Reformed Witness.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	Quarterly	1905
Massanutten Academy News.....	Woodstock, Va.	Monthly	1907
The Dial, F. and M. Academy.....	Lancaster, Pa.	Monthly	1914

REGISTER OF MINISTERS, 1916

NOTE.—The following is a list of the names, post-office addresses, the place of theological preparation and the year of ordination of the ministers of the Reformed Church in the United States. It contains, as nearly as possible, all changes of addresses to date of publication, September 15, 1915. That this Register may be correct, it is requested of each minister changing his address during the year, that he notify the undersigned before September 15th. — BENONI BATES, NORRISTOWN, PA.

ABBREVIATIONS

E—Eastern Seminary, formerly Mercersburg, now Lancaster.
 C—Central Seminary, union of Heidelberg and Ursinus.
 H—Formerly Heidelberg Seminary.
 MH—Mission House.
 U—Formerly Ursinus School of Theology.
 —Those officiating in the German language or in both German and English.

Adam, John S., Mechanicsburg, Pa.....	E09	Bausch, Robert A., Hummelstown, Pa.....	E13
Adam, Robert M., (lic.), Temple, Pa.....	E	Bausman, Benj. F., 1312 State St., Harrisburg, Pa.....	E83
Adams, John K., Anselma, Pa.....	E99	Beam, Geo. T. N., Wadsworth, Ohio.....	H01
Adams, William Fawcett, M.D., Yochow City, China.....	X02	Beam, Prof. Henry L., 138 Greenfield St., Tiffin, Ohio.....	H89
Adams, William S., 361 Wooster Ave., Akron, O.....	H00	Beam, Dr. Samuel Z., 188 Greenfield St., Tiffin, Ohio.....	H62
Aigner, Francis, 619 Second St. North, Aberdeen, S. Dak.....	OMH89	Bean, Joseph M., Montgomery, Pa.....	E02
Albertson, John W., Jennerstown, Pa.....	E00	Beaver, Chalmers W., Dayton, O.....	C08
Albright, Cecil A., 2075 E. Grand Blvd., Detroit, Mich.....	C08	Beaver, George W., Lisbon, Ohio.....	H98
Albright, George H., Columbiana, O.....	H75	Beaver, Irvin M., 512 Elm St., Reading, Pa.....	H91
Albright, John H., R. F. D. 8, Portland, Ind.....	H85	Beaver, Reuben S., New Berlin, Ohio.....	C13
Alden, Joseph P., Greenville, O.....	U02	Bechtel, John W., Fairview, Kansas.....	H98
Alspach, Dr. C. B., 1538 Wingohocking St., Philad., Pa.....	U90	Beck, Edward M., Farmersville, Ohio.....	OH82
Alspach, Titus A., Chambersburg, Pa.....	C10	Beck, Edwin A., Yochow City, Hunan, China.....	
Alspach, William A., 855 Brice Ave., Lima, O.....	H03	Beck, Herman, Barberton, Ohio.....	O11
Althouse, Charles F., 17 N. 2d St., Allentown, Pa.....	E94	Beck, John H., 436 E. 6th St., Loveland, Colo.....	OH73
Althouse, Howard A., New Tripoli, Pa.....	U95	Beck, Melvin E., 1261 Fair Ave., Columbus, Ohio.....	C12
Anderson, W. Lloyd, Burkittsville, Md.....	E15	Beck, Samuel W., Mt. Crawford, Va.....	U02
Andreas, Henry, Siegel, Wis.....	OMH82	Becker, Augustus, 2969 W. 25th St., Cleveland, Ohio.....	OMH69
Andrew, James D., Newton, N. C.....	93	Beckmann, William C., R. F. D. 2, Dundas, Ill.....	OMH14
Aneshansly, Earl M., Lithopolis, O.....	C13	Beer, Albin, B.D., New Bavaria, Ohio.....	OMH02
Ankeney, Alfred, Sendai, Japan.....	C12	Beisser, Frederick W., Plymouth, Wis.....	OMH03
Appel, Richard S., Hamburg, Pa.....	071	Beisser, Gottlieb C., Decatur, Ind.....	OMH69
Appenzeller, Edgar R., 2117 Ontario St., Phila., Pa.....	U02	Bell, Joseph W., Crescent, N. C.....	U90
Apple, Prof. A. T. G., 237 Lancaster Av., Lancaster, Pa.....	E83	Belser, John W., 1365 W. 59th St., Cleveland, Ohio.....	U91
Apple, Dr. Henry H., 441 College Ave., Lancaster, Pa.....	E92	Bender, Aug. F., East and First Sts., Allegheny, Pa.....	
Apple, Prof. Dr. Joseph H. (lic.), Frederick, Md.....		Benner, Henry A. I., Richland Center, Pa.....	U91
Arnold, John, 1993 South St., Lincoln, Neb.....	089	Benner, L. D., 103 Hamilton St., Rochester, N. Y.....	OMH94
Arpke, William A., Chilton, Wis.....	OMH92	Bergey, James R., 611—8th St., Altoona, Pa.....	E94
Bachman, Adam J., Schaefferstown, Pa.....	OE78	Berlemann, Dr. F. W., 341 Fairmount Ave., Phila., Pa.....	OH70
Bachman, Calvin Geo., Osterburg, Pa.....	E15	Berlepp, G. L., Bernstadt, Laurel Co., Ky.....	
Bachman, Dr. Irwin M., Siegfried, Pa.....	U94	Bickel, Thomas L., Lebanon, Pa.....	E98
Bachman, Joseph P., 35 N. 13th St., Allentown, Pa.....	E96	Bicksler, D. W., 111 Girard Ave., Plymouth, Pa.....	X95
Bachman, Thomas H., Spinnerstown, Pa.....	OE09	Biery, John, 812 Green St., St. Joseph, Mo.....	OMH61
Badertscher, Christian, Bluffton, O., R. F. D. 4.....	OMH75	Birk, R., Medina, N. Dak.....	003
Badertscher, G., 940 S. 18th St., Louisville, Ky.....	092	Black, Albert A., Troutville, Pa.....	E81
Baer, Harry A. D., Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md.....	OE11	Black, Blanchard A., 182 Carey Ave., Wilkes-Barre, Pa.....	E03
Bahner, Dr. Franklin F., Waynesboro, Pa.....	U73	Blatt, James N., Old Zionsville, Pa.....	OE04
Baichley, Dr. Alpheus E., Dayton, Ohio.....	H77	Bloemker, Rudolph W., New Bremen, O.....	OC14
Bair, John F., Catawissa, Pa., R. F. D. 3.....	E97	Bloom, John B., 1012 Henry St., St. Joseph, Mo.....	E04
Bair, Lawrence E., Shamokin, Pa.....	E10	Bloom, Nathan W., Fort Wayne, Ind.....	82
Bair, Robert L., 437 College Ave., Lancaster, Pa.....	E02	Blosser, H. C., Orrville, Ohio.....	94
Balcar, Joseph, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.....		Bock, Albert F., Humboldt, Neb., R. F. D. 5.....	OMH13
Bald, Frederick W., B.D., Mercersburg, Pa.....	E95	Bock, Peter, Clarence, Iowa.....	H97
Barkley, Dr. Thomas J., Gettysburg, Pa.....	H60	Bodder, Howard E.....	U04
Barley, Arthur W., Mt. Pleasant, Pa.....	E10	Bode, D. A., 326 W. 22d St., Erie, Pa.....	OMH12
Barnhart, J. L., B.D., 2304 Mondawmin Ave., Balto., Md.....	E97	Rodenmann, John, Piapot, Sask., Canada.....	O13
Barny, Wm. F., Milltown, N. J.....	093	Boehm, James A., Sellersville, Pa.....	E07
Barringer, Dr. Paul, Mt. Pleasant, N. C.....	H81	Bohler, Jacob, Belden, Neb.....	0
Bartholomew, Albert O., Freeland, Pa.....	E98	Rolliger, Theodore P., 001 Tuscarawas St., Canton, O.....	OE97
Bartholomew, Dr. A. R., 15th & Race Sts., Phila., Pa.....	OE77	Bollmann, William, 64 Rohr St., Buffalo, N. Y.....	OMH89
Bartholomew, Calvin E., 261 Walnut St., Pottstown, Pa.....	OE89	Bomberger, Dr. J. H., 1787 E. 65th St., Cleveland, O.....	U80
Bartholomew, Joshua S., 632 N. 9th St., Allentown, Pa.....	U00	Boonemph, William, 2049 South 19th St., Lincoln, Neb.....	077
Bassler, Harry N., 1518 Green St., Harrisburg, Pa.....	E94	Boonemph, John E., 739 S. Topeka Ave., Wichita, Kans.....	E08
Bates, Benoni, 1009 W. Marshall St., Norristown, Pa.....	E96	Borchers, Conrad, 627 Duquesne Ave., Swissvale, Pa.....	069
Bauer, John M., Upham, N. Dak.....	OMH03	Boros, Eugene, Toledo, Ohio.....	C08
Bauer, Peter, Goodrich, N. Dak.....	094	Bosch, John H., 219 Wash. Blvd., Ft. Wayne, Ind.....	OH95
Baum, Dr. Christian, Burrows and Andrews Ave., Winnipeg, Can.....	OH70	Bosma, Dietrich E., R. F. D. 3, Odebolt, Iowa.....	OMH13
Bauman, Albert B., Greenville, Pa.....	E02	Bosshart, John G., R. F. D. 3, Stanford, Ky.....	0
Bauman, John N., Danville, Pa.....	E86	Bowers, David E., 2940 Woughtown St., Winston-Salem, N. C.....	U02
Baumgartel, George C., Cor. Grand & Simpson St., York, Pa.....	H98	Bowers, Wayne H., Irala-Barri, Bilbas, Spain.....	E09
		Bowling, Dr. Robert C., Kittanning, Pa.....	E79
		Bowman, Dr. John C., 519 W. James St., Lancaster, Pa.....	E75
		Braem, Henry, 60 Hausman St., Brooklyn, N. Y.....	0

- Brandt, Charles H., Altoona, Pa.U92
 Braun, Jacob B., Duncan, Neb.070
 Bready, Guy P., Taneytown, Md.E06
 Brendle, D. D., Worcester, Pa.E07
 Brendle, T. Royce, Sumneytown, Pa.E11
 Brendle, W. Scott, Lemaster, Pa.C11
 Brensinger, Morris H., Fleetwood, Pa.OU89
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 Bright, Harry W., Norristown, Pa.E95
 Bromer, Albert S., 15th and Race Sts., Philadelphia, Pa. Y91
 Bromer, Dr. Edward S., Greensburg, Pa.Y94
 Bromer, Frank S., 632 L St. W., Cedar Rapids, Iowa.U04
 Brong, William H., Pen Argyl, Pa.E97
 Broughman, Chas. N., 2449 S. Meridian St., Indian P's, Ind. Brouse, Chas. F., Shby, Ohio.OC09
 Brown, Charles H., Fredonia, Pa.OE04
 Brown, Franklin W., 121 S. Fourth St., Lewisburg, Pa. MER81
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 Brown, Simon P., R. F. D. 1, Port Trevorton, Pa.E79
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 Bruckner, E. W. C., 98 Forbes St., Jamaica Plains, Boston, Mass.OMH99
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Crothersville, Elmer.
Culver.
Decatur, Beisser, Engelmann (O.), Spies, Stolte.
East Chicago, Gerenday, Ludman.
Florence.
Fort Wayne, Bloom, Bosch, Knatz, Ruhl, Winter (J. F.), Zartman (A. K.).
Garrett, Scherry.
Gary, Johnson.
Goshen, Foust (W. W.).
Huntington, Diehm (F. H.).
Indianapolis, Broughman, Engelmann (F. W.), Gekeler (H. S.), Grauel, Hoernemann (F. W.), Knierim (W. H.), Otte, Stuckey, Vitz (H. W.), Wisner.
Jeffersonville, Lahr (F. E.).
Lafayette, Hilgemann.
Linton, Hegele.
Mulberry, Sigrist.
New Middletown.
Ossian, Schneider.
Plymouth, Yeissley.
Poland, Huckeriede.
Portland, Albright (J. H.).
Rising Sun, Vitz (O. P.).
Terre Haute, Sommerlatte (E.), Wittenhoff.
Vera Cruz, Schroer (W. H.).

IOWA

Baxter, Traeger (P.).
Burroak, Ulrich.
Cedar Rapids, Balcar, Bromer (F. S.), Spinka.
Clarence, Bock (P.).
Columbus Junction.
Conesville, Ewing.
Des Moines, Leinbach (H. J.).
Garner, Schmid (C. A.), Wittenberg.
Klemme, Thiel.
Lamont, Staus.
Lawton, Faust (L. S.).
Ledyard, Christ.
Line Spring, Kaloria.
Lisbon, Casselman (F. R.).
Liscomb, Gaddis, Swartz.

Lone Tree, Moorhead.
Haquoketa, Boomershine (D. F.).
Marengo, Elliker (S.), Elliker (S. T.), Grieb.
Melbourne, Franz (E. F.), Hauser (J.), Mosebach.
Monticello, Kuentzel.
Odebolt, Bosma.
Oskaloosa, Lochr.
Schaller, Menke.
Sioux City, Krause.
Slater, Ernst.
Thompson, Lemme.
Tipton, Naly.
Waukon, Fledderjohann, Sill, Stuebbe.
Wheatland, Gattermann.
Wilton Junction, Lau.
Zwingle, Newgard.

JAPAN

Sendai, Ankeney, Faust (A. K.), Gerhard (P. L.), Guinther, Moore, Schaffner (P.), Schneder (D. B.), Seiple, Zaugg (E. H.).
Tokio, Miller (H. K.).
Wakamatsu, Iwashiro, Noss (C.).
Yamagata, Cook, Kriete (C. D.).

KANSAS

Abilene, Casselman (A.).
Cheney, Kerlin.
Dillon, Denny.
Dorrance, Thomas (S.).
Emporia, Stauffer (T. F.).
Fairview, Bechtel.
Hiawatha, Hassenpflug.
Hoisington, Hall.
Holton, Kissel, Shumaker.
Iola, Schnatz (A. P.).
Wathena, Deglow.
Whitewater.
Wichita, Boomershine (J. E.), Casselman (H. H.), Griffith.

KENTUCKY

Bernstadt, Berlepp.
Covington, Schaaf (C. M.).
Louisville, Badertscher (G.), Kriete (C. F.), Naefe, Schoepfle (M. P.), Vitz (J. O.), Winter (D. A.).
Stanford, Bosshart.

MARYLAND

Adamstown, Thomas (J. D.).
Baltimore, Baer, Barnhart, Coblentz (L. E.), Collison, Conner, Dotterer, Everhart, Grimmer, Hartman (O. S.), Hauser (J. N.), Kosower, Kreider, Mullan, Ranck (C. H.), Rossiter, Schluter, Schnatz (P. H.), Shiffer, Sommerlatte (J.), Strietelmeier, Weber (A. S.).
Boonsboro.
Braddock, Warner.
Brunswick, Wilson.
Burkittsville, Anderson.
Cavetown, Hensch.
Clearspring, Klingaman.
Cumberland, Csatlós (R.), Skyles (E. P.).
Emmitsburg, Higbee.
Frederick, Apple (J. H.), Derendinger, Ditzler (J. A.), Kieffer (H. L. G.), Miller (S. S.), Motter, Wehler.
Frostburg.
Hagerstown, Clever, Kieffer (J. S.).
Jefferson, Gerhard (W. S.).
Keedysville, Harner.
Manchester, Land (T. S.).
Middletown, Smith (C. M.), Snyder (G. A.).
Mt. Pleasant, Carnahan.
Overlea, Balt. Co., Cort.
Ridgely, Rahn.

Sabillasville, Firor.
Taneytown, Bready.
Thurmont, Heimer, Shaffer.
Union Bridge, Yoder.
Walkersville, Weaver (E. E.).
Westminster, Hoover (S. C.), Reincke, Slagle.

MASSACHUSETTS

Boston, Brueckner, Schaedel.
Holyoke, Klingner.
Roxbury, Stuebi.

MICHIGAN

Athens.
Bay City, Ruf (B.).
Calumet, Qual.
Colon, Schreffler.
Detroit, Albright (C. A.), Worthman.
Elk Rapids, Moser.
Fulton, Smith (J. C.).
Port Hope.
Three Rivers.
White Pigeon, Ware.

MINNESOTA

Cologne, Koehler.
Hamburg, Schmid (A. G.).
Mantorville, Depping.
Norwood, Rosenau.
Three River Falls.
St. Paul, Grosshuesch (P.).
Wabasha.

MISSOURI

Cosby, Schnuelle.
Deepwater, Egger, Neuenschwander.
Kansas City, Evans (E. N.).
Potsdam, Brunoehler, Symanski.
Rockville.
St. Joseph, Biery, Bloom, Horning.
St. Louis.
Springfield, Kemm.
Washington, Schaedel.

NEBRASKA

Belden, Bohler.
Dawson, Mueller.
Duncan, Bock (A. F.), Braun.
Harbine.
Harvard, Franke.
Humboldt.
Lincoln, Arnold, Bonekemper, Erb (E.), Orr.
Norfolk, Hammann.
Omaha, Hawk, Holyoke.
Sidney, Vollprecht.
Sutton, Kirchhefer, Kohler (P. S.).
York, Schmalz.
Yutan, Ifert.

NEW JERSEY

Egg Harbor City, Gramm (H. J. F.).
Glassboro, Lutterbein.
Milltown, Barny.
New Brunswick, Moor.
Trenton, Collison.
Vineland, Hartzell (W. S.).

NEW YORK

Brooklyn, Braem, Walenta (M. J. H.), Walenta (W.), Wienand.
Buffalo, Bollmann, Dorschel, Gersmann, Hassel, Heck, Heinze, Most, Settlege (W. A.), Storrer, Tingler.
Clarence, Pfeifer.
Conewango Valley, Hart.
Ebenezer, Schultz.
Ellis Island, Land (P. H.).
Fayette, Kerr (D. W.).
Jamaica (L. I.), Godduhn.
New York City, Buck, Burger (E. F.), Delaney, Fogleman, Jones (D. M.), Kerschner (G. W.), Klein (C. F. A.), Schmitt (J.).

Rochester, Benner (L. D.), Clark (W. R.), Hoch.

NORTH CAROLINA

Albemarle, Nace.
Burlington, Cox.
China Grove, Keller (J. H.), Sechler, Shulenberg (A.).
Concord, Werner (W. B.).
Conover, Peeler (J. C.).
Crescent, Bell, Lysterly (J. M. L.).
Green Park, Ingle.
Greensboro, Peeler (S.).
Hickory, Murphy, Shuford.
High Point, Peeler (L. A.), Wagoner (C. C.).
Lenoir, Peeler (A. S.).
Lexington, Beck (S. W.), Hedrick, Leonard (J. C.), Palmer.
Lincolnton, McNairy.
Maiden, Warlick.
Mount Pleasant, Barrington, Lysterly (W. C.), Stanley.
Newton, Andrew, Rowe.
Rockwell, Holhouser, Koons.
Salisbury, Trexler.
Tabor, Williams.
Thomasville, Plott.
Winston-Salem, Bowers (D. E.), Holshouser.

NORTH DAKOTA

Ashley, Stienecker (H. W.).
Beulah, Haller-Leuz.
Bowditch, Goll.
Goodrich, Bauer (P.).
Heil, Grossman, Schweickhardt.
Jamestown, Nuss (C. T.).
Kulm.
Medina, Birk.
Upham, Bauer (J. M.).
Wimbledon.
Zeeland.

OHIO

Ada, Gekeler (A. G.).
Akron, Adams (W. S.), Dorman, Foltz, Good (G. W.), Hagelskamp, Horvath, Isenberg (S. H.), Raegle (J. O.), Rohrbaugh (H. J.), Williard.
Alliance, Grether (A.), Keppel, Schmitt (C.), Seitz (A. J.), Stahl.
Apple Creek.
Arcanum, Dingledine.
Archbold, Vogt.
Ashland, Gochnauer.
Baltimore, Law.
Barberton, Beck (H.), Ebbert.
Bascom, Engle.
Basil, Gruber.
Beaver.
Bellair, Yocum.
Bellevue, Loucks (E. V.).
Berlin Heights, Nau (H.).
Birmingham, Schoepfle, (C.).
Bloomville, Zechiel (F. E.).
Bluffton, Badertscher (C.), Lahr (W. H.).
Bremen.
Bucyrus, Hartman (C. H.), Keller (F. H.).
Canal Fulton, Flohr.
Canal Winchester, Heffley, Longaker.
Canfield, Burger (I. N.).
Canton, Bolliger, Bucher (J. T.), Frank, Herbruck (E. P.).
Carrollton, Geier.
Carrothers, Ihle.
Cincinnati, Gaenge, Heckman, Heyl, Lohmann, Schatz (J. L.), Selzer.
Cleveland, Becker (A.), Belser, Bomberger, Dewitz, Dolch, Dreher, Eick-

elberg, Franz (A. J.), Henschen, Herbrecht, Hoffmann (C.), Hoffmann (Fr.), Korb, Krampe (A.), Leich, Long (S. C.), Renter, Roentgen, Russon, Schiller, Schmidt (H.), String, Vollmer (P., Jr.), Walter.

Clinton, Ream.

Clyde, Walker (G. V.).
Columbiana, Albright (G. H.), Yenser.
Columbus, Beck (M. E.), Shultz (E.).
Conneaut, Miller (W. A.).
Covington, Schaaf (C. M.).
Crestline, Hessert, Lober.
Creston, Edmonds.
Dayton, Baichley, Beaver (C. W.), Christman (H. J.), Hale, Haulman, Herbruck (E.), Hill, Kielsmeier, Kombar, Kovacs, Mathes, Shults (F. A.), Shultz (R. F.), Snapp, Stibitz, Van-Horne, Virag, Vollmer (C.), Vollmer (P.), Walck, Zerbe.

Defiance, Robrock.

Delaware, Gekeler (J. C.), Klotz.

Dillonvale, Dokus (G., Jr.).

East Akron, Kendig.

Fairfield, Schulz.

Farmersville, Beck (E. M.), Kruse.

Fremont, Zechiel (A. H.).

Galion, Hocker, Ruf (F. B.), Zipf.

Germano.

Germantown, Shinn.

Glenmont, Petri.

Greenville, Alden, Rohrbaugh (S. V.).

Hamilton, Dickman, Rice, Zaugg (E. S.).

Hartsville, Fisher (W. S.), Neff.

Haskins, Vornholt (J. F.).

Hillsboro.

Holgate, Poetter (J. H.).

Huron, Matzke.

Irondale.

Ironton, Feldwisch.

Kelleys Island, Kaske.

Kenmore, Harman.

Kenton, Baumgartel, Paul.

Kingston, Shults (F. M.), Yockey.

Lake, Hassler.

Lakewood, Stepler.

Lancaster, Bushong (C. A.).

Liberty Center, Martz.

Lima, Alspach (W. A.), Hoernemann (T. W.).

Lindsey, Souder (G. H.).

Lisbon, Beaver, Miller (D. S.), Reichard, Royer (S. I.).

Lithopolis, Aneshansley.

Lorain, Virag.

Louisville, Dibble.

Marion, Herber.

Marshallville, Wagoner (J. J.).

Massillon, Foust (O. P.), Imhoff.

Steele, Stoner (H. S.).

Miamisburg, Kerst.

Mount Eaton, Goetsch.

Mt. Healthy, Seyring.

Napoleon, Engelmann (G.).

Navarre, Stoner (C. E.).

New Bavaria, Beer.

New Bedford, Dreibeibies.

New Berlin, Beaver (R. S.).

New Bremen, Bloemker.

New Knoxville, Kunst.

New Philadelphia, Rettig (J. H.).

Newton Falls, Zimmerman.

New Winchester.

North Hampton, Snyder (S. U.).

North Lima, Rohrbaugh (L. J.).

Norwood, Zinn.

Orrville, Blosser.

Payne, Shultz (W. H.).

Petersburg, Rothenberger.

Piqua, Peters (M. A.).

Prospect, Schaaf (J. C.).

Ragersville, Limbacher.

Reedsburg, Hawn.

Robertsville, King, Laubach (G. H.).

St. Marys, Rupnow.

St. Paris, Kopenhaver (H. G.), Werner (D. E.).

Sandusky, Rickard.

Shanesville, Clausing.

Shelby, Brouse, Burkett.

Sherwood, Vitz (N. E.).

Somerset, Narragon.

Spencerville.

Springfield, Hartman (A. A.), Hoffman (F. W.).

Stoutsville, Zechiel (E. E.).

Sugar Grove, Leberman, Loucks (M.).

Sycamore, Reemsnyder.

Thornville, Weaver (P. H.).

Tiffin, Beam (H. L.), Beam (S. Z.),

Brugh, Burghalter, Chenot, Christ-

man (D. M.), Freeman (J. S.), Good

(C. W.), Graber, Gross, Kennedy,

Miller (C. E.), Oplinger, Parks, Rai-

ser, Roth (B. H.), Rust (J. B.),

Shuman, Sonnedecker, Swander.

Toledo, Boros, Horning, Joeris, Kratz,

Martin (L. C.), Stein (K.).

Tontogany, Kuersten.

Tremont City.

Upper Sandusky, Lienkaemper (B. E.),

Shuey.

Vermilion, Friebohn, Pretzer.

Wadsworth, Beam (G. T. N.), Keller

(J. A.).

Waldo, Burkhardt.

Walnut Creek.

Warren, Fisher (G. P.), Otting.

Waynesburg.

West Alexandria, Miller (J. W.).

West Salem, Tobias.

West Unity, Runkle (S. L.).

Wooster, Snyder (P. W.), Young.

Xenia, Loucks (D. W.).

Youngstown, Mayer (F.), Wettach.

OREGON

Hillsboro, Scheidt.

Lents.

Portland, Gantenbein, Hafner, Happel

(J. B.), Hirsch, Wyss.

Salem, Lienkaemper (W. G.).

Sherwood, Wernly.

Tillamook.

PENNSYLVANIA

Aaronsburg, Donat (W. D.).

Alburtis, LaRose (F. P.).

Alexandria, Levan (C. W.).

Alinda, Wagner (S. T.).

Allegheny, Bender.

Allen, Kremer (A. R.).

Allentown, Althouse (C. F.), Bachman

(J. P.), Bartholomew (I. S.), Cur-

tis, Freeman (J. F.), Keller (E.),

Kern, Kresge (E. E.), Millhouse,

Moyer (F. H.), Muir, Peters (J. S.),

Rupp (J. G.), Schaeffer (J. J.),

Schwedes, Seitz (F. C.), Sipple (S.),

Wehr (O. B.).

Altoona, Bergey, Brandt, Frantz (O.

S.), Peters (C. P. D.), Renoll, Stahl

(R. M.).

Annville, DeLong (W. F.).

Anselma, Adams (J. K.).

Apollo, Summey, Wolf (D. J.).

Arendtsville, Hesson.

Ashland, Schaeffer (I. M.).

Auburn, Edris.

Avon, Hess.

Bangor, Lentz (E. W.).

Bath, Helfrich, Smith (J. E.).

Bedford, Eyler.

Bellefonte, Schmidt (A. M.).

- Beaver Springs, Snyder (H. G.).
 Berlin, Glessner (C. T.), Spahn, Stephan, Wiant (H. H.).
 Bernville, Leiby.
 Berwick, Ely (D. J.).
 Bethlehem, Butz (C. A.), Crow, DeLong (J. F.), Dietz, Ehret, Erb, Stein (J. R.), Strock, Yearick (Z. A.).
 Birdsboro, Rupp (H. H.).
 Blaine, Keener.
 Blairsville, Line.
 Bloomsburg, Hoover (P. H.), Keyser.
 Blue Bell, Yost (J.).
 Boalsburg, Stover.
 Boyertown, Greenwalt, Miller (H. J.), Roth (G. W.).
 Braddock.
 Breinigsville, Steinert.
 Butler, Evans (J. M.), Pontius (J. W.), Pontius (P. R.), Stamm (F. K.).
 Camp Hill, Leader.
 Carlisle, Coblentz (E. L.), Kehl.
 Catawqua, Frantz (A. P.).
 Catawissa, Bair (J. F.), Rupp (C. E.).
 Center Hall, Jones (R. R.).
 Chambersburg, Alspach (T. A.), Cremer, Hendricks, Shontz.
 Cherryville, Kopenhaver (G. E.).
 Chicora, Maxwell.
 Clarion.
 Claysburg, Skyles (C.).
 Clearville, Hetrick.
 Cochran, Shupe.
 Codorus, Guth (J. L.).
 Collegeville, Butler, Clapp, Kline (W. A.), Omwake, Spangler (H. T.), Yost (C. D.).
 Columbia, Pannebecker.
 Connellsville, Wagner (C. E.).
 Conyngham, Hartzel (S. F.).
 Coplay, Krick.
 Coopersburg, Kressley (T. M.).
 Cressona, Schaeffer (J. A.).
 Curryville, Noll (E. S.).
 Dallastown, Zehring.
 Danville, Bauman (J. N.).
 Dayton, Garner.
 Delmont, Smith (H. N.).
 Denver, Marburger.
 Derry, Landis.
 Dillsburg, Heffeger.
 Doylestown, Hetrick (L. V.).
 DuBois, Crum.
 Duquesne.
 Durham, Mertz.
 Dushore, Teske.
 East Berlin.
 East Greenville, DeLong (C. M.).
 East Mauch Chunk, Freeman (R. J.).
 Easton, Dieffenderfer (J. P.), Evmeyer, Gilds, Lerch (C.), Mader, Poetter (G. R.), Rauch (O. H. E.), Stem (T. O.).
 East Petersburg, Rothermel.
 East Stroudsburg, Kemp.
 Effort, Smith (F. W.).
 Elizabethtown, Meyer (B. M.).
 Elizabethtown, Wehr (C. P.).
 Elk Lick, Monn.
 Ellwood City, Musser (J. B.), Stamm (S. A.).
 Etnaus, Schaeffer (D. E.).
 Emlenton.
 Enola.
 Ephrata, Meck, Schweitzer.
 Erie, Bode.
 Esterly, Brown (J. R.), Roush.
 Eureka, Lentz (J.).
 Evans City, Ginder.
 Everett, Pugh, Wissler.
 Export.
 Fairfield.
 Ferndale, Weaver (C. B.).
 Fleetwood, Brensinger.
 Fogelsville, Fogel (P. H.).
 Fort Loudon, Stonesifer.
 Fort Washington, Santee.
 Frackville, Wetzel (D. J.).
 Fredericksburg, Rissinger.
 Fredonia, Brown (C. H.).
 Freeburg, Cogley.
 Freeland, Bartholomew (A. O.).
 Freemansburg, Reed.
 Fullerton, Guth (F. A.).
 Gettysburg, Barkley, Hartman (G. N.).
 Glen Rock, Roeder.
 Greencastle, Peightel.
 Greensburg, Bromer (E. S.), Hederman, Heller, Kline (A. K.), Mase, Meixell, Steckel, Sykes.
 Greenville, Bauman (A. B.), Keifer, Wiant (J. F.).
 Grove City, Nicholson.
 Halifax.
 Hamburg, Apple (R. S.), Freeman (C. F.).
 Hanover, Dechant (A. S.), Hartman (J. H.), Mauger, Roth, (M. J.), Spangler (P. M.), Zieber.
 Harmony, Leidy.
 Harrisburg, Bassler, Bausman (B. F.), Hartman (G. W.), Hartzell (W. B.), Kremer (E. N.), May, Shellenberger (G. W.).
 Harrison City, Gress.
 Hawthorn, Dietrich.
 Hasleton, Stoffel, Toennes.
 Hegins, Kressley (C. D.).
 Hellam, Sando.
 Hellertown, Koplin.
 Hollidaysburg, Ehrgood.
 Homestead, Harsanyi.
 Host, Leiss.
 Hubersburg, Hoover (Wm. M.).
 Hummelstown, Bausch.
 Huntingdon, Master.
 Hyndman, Herman (A. J.).
 Irwin, Obold, Souders.
 Jacksonville, Klingeman (M. F.).
 James Creek, Hoshauer.
 Jeannette, Runkle (J. M.).
 Jenner, Kresge (S. R.).
 Jennerstown, Albertson.
 Johnstown, Marks, Mickley, Porzolt.
 Jonestown.
 Kempton, Brumbach.
 Kittanning, Bowling.
 Kutztown, Deatrick (W. W.), Leinbach (F. H.), Rothermel (A. C.), Smith (G. B.).
 Lancaster, Apple (A. T. G.), Apple (H. H.), Bair (R. L.), Bowman, Causey, Cramer, DeLong (I. H.), Dippell (V. W.), Gast, Glass, Hartman (E. M.), Helm, Herman (T. F.), Hiester, Klein (H. M. J.), Korn, Krebs (W. E.), Lichliter, Meminger, Meyers, Miller (N. J.), Mull, Richards, Schaeffer (N. C.), Schaeffer (W. C.), Schiedt, Seibel, Stahr (J. S.), Wagner (C. E.), Watts.
 Landisburg, Matterness.
 Lansdale, Rothrock.
 Lansford, Swope.
 Latrobe, Dundore.
 Leacock, Hillegass.
 Lebanon, Bickel, Fisher (I. C.), Hapfel (W. D.), Heilman, LeFevre (F. R.).
 Leck Kill.
 Leesport, Stoudt (J. K.).
 Lehigh, Hamm, Noll (E. S.).
 Lemasters, Brendle (W. S.).
 Lewisburg, Brown (F. W.), Gerhart.
 Lewistown, Rhodes.
 Linfield, Kochenderfer.
 Lionville, LaRose (M. P.).
 Lititz, Raezer (G. B.).
 Littlestown, Hartman (J. S.), Lindaman (F. S.), Whitener.
 Lock Haven, Harr.
 Loysburg.
 McConnellsburg, Yearick (J. L.).
 McConnellstown, Horn (L. D.).
 McKeesport, Rupp (P. B.).
 Macungie, Kriebel.
 Mahanoy City, George (M. N.).
 Mannheim, Zechman.
 Mann's Choice, Dittmar, Miller (A. J.).
 Manor, Noss (C. L.).
 Marietta, Sensenig.
 Marion, Heffner.
 Martinsburg, Deatrich (E. R.), Schafer.
 Marysville, Flickinger.
 Maxatawny.
 Maytown, Lowe.
 Meadville, Ferer, Kerschner (W. H.).
 Mechanicsburg, Adam (J. S.).
 Mercersburg, Bald, Irvine.
 Mertztown, Meckstroth.
 Meyersdale, Glessner (A. S.), Kresge (A. S.), Truxal.
 Mifflinburg, Hartman (H. H.), Spessard.
 Millersburg, Kohler (W. J.), Miller (W. H.).
 Millersville, Whitmore (G. A.).
 Milton, Maeder.
 Minersville, Frantz (O. R.).
 Monroe, Snyder (I. G.).
 Montgomery, Bean.
 Mt. Bethel, Reagle (H. B.).
 Mt. Carmel, Gonser, Schlappich.
 Mt. Penn, Stahr (H. I.).
 Mt. Pleasant, Barley, Ferner.
 Mt. Pleasant Mills, Hittner.
 Mt. Tabor, Shulenberg (F. W.).
 Munhall, LaMar.
 Myerstown, Fluck, Welker (H. J.), Wolff (D. U.).
 Nanticoke, Herbert.
 Nazareth, Wotring.
 Nescopeck, Miller (G. H.).
 Nesquehoning, Slough.
 New Berlin, Robb (H. A.).
 New Bloomfield, Fox.
 Newburg, Reber.
 New Holland, Butz, Noss (J. G.).
 New Kensington, Darbaker, Scheetz, Snyder (J. F.).
 New Oxford, Garrett.
 Newport.
 New Providence, Hartman (V. G.).
 New Tripoli, Althouse (H. A.).
 Norristown, Bates, Bright, Stoner (A. B.), Wiest.
 Northampton, Laubach (G. J.), Stoudt.
 North Wales, LeVan.
 Old Zionsville, Blatt.
 Oley, Stahr (I. S.).
 Orangeville, Houtz, Schaffner (A. M.).
 Orwigsburg, King (A. R.), Leise.
 Osterburg, Bachman (C. G.).
 Palmerton, Kerschner (J. G.), Royer (G. W.).
 Palmyra, Frantz (J. F.).
 Paxinos.
 Pen Argyl, Brong.
 Penbrook, Reiter (L.).
 Pennsburg, Lutz.
 Perkaskie, Lindaman (J. O.), Moyer (S. E.), Peters (A. G.).
 Philadelphia, Alspach (C. B.), Appenzeller, Bartholomew (A. R.), Berle-
 mann, Bridenbaugh, Bromer (A. S.),
 Crawford, Dechant (J. F.), Dengler,
 Detrich, Dippell (P. H.), Dumstre (M. F.), Fisher (F. H.), Forster, Frech,
 Good (I. L.), Gutelius, Haack, Hart-
 man (H. H.), Hauser (C. A.), Heich-
 hold, Hinkle, Huber, Isenberg (J. M. S.), Knoll, Krebs (S. L.), Lampe,
 LaRose (E. S.), Long (W. A.),

Miller (R. W.), Musser (C. J.), Piscator, Samson, Schaaf (N. H.), Schaeffer (C. E.), Schaeffer (H.), Scheer, Shummon, Silvius, Sommerlatte (P.), Spink, Stauffer (S. P.), Stern, Weiss, Wessler, Wieder, Wolfinger, Yost (F. C.), Zartman (R. C.).
Phoenixville, Bushong (W. E.), Dumstrey (H.), Kerr (F. L.).
Pillow, Gass (R. I.).
Pine Grove, Kohler (S. S.).
Pitcairn, Faust (C. H.).
Pittsburgh, Groff, Horstmeier (W. E.), Kerschner (W. S.), Pilgram, Prugh (J. H.), Tussing.
Pleasant Unity, Dietzel.
Plymouth, Bickler.
Port Trevorton, Brown (S. P.).
Pottstown, Bartholomew (C. E.), Evans, Kehm (C. H.), Kehm (J.), Smith (J. H.), Wieand.
Pottsville, Fetterolf, Reiter (A. O.).
Punxsutawney, Kerschner (U. O. H.).
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 January 31. Rev. J. C. Knable, Youngstown, Pa.

FEBRUARY 4. Rev. B. A. Black, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.
 February Rev. W. E. Garrett, New Oxford, Pa.
 February 7. Rev. H. F. Limbacher, Ragersville, Ohio.
 February 24. Rev. J. S. Kosower, Immanuel, Baltimore, Md.
 MARCH 5. Rev. A. C. Ohl, Spring City, Pa.
 March 16. Rev. R. R. Yocum, Bellaire, Ohio.

APRIL 8. Rev. L. H. Kunst, New Knoxville, Ohio.
 April 11. Rev. Alvin Grether, Newton, Iowa.
 April 15. Rev. E. V. Loucks, Bellevue, Ohio.
 April 25. Rev. G. W. Good, E. Market St. Ch., Akron, O.
 April 28. Rev. J. F. Reimers, Saxton, Pa.
 April 28. Rev. F. K. Stamm, St. Paul's, Butler, Pa.
 April 30. Rev. Calvin Skyles, Claysburg, Pa.

MAY 5. Rev. Geo. L. Roth, Royersford, Pa.
 May 9. Rev. H. G. Settlage, Immanuel, Milwaukee, Wis.
 May 16. Rev. J. M. Runkle, Ph.D., Jeannette, Pa.
 May 23. Rev. H. L. V. Shinn, Germantown, O.
 May 25. Rev. Gustav Teske, Dushore, Pa.
 May 25. Rev. J. F. Hawk, Omaha, Neb.
 May 30. Rev. Orris W. Haulman, Memorial, Dayton, Ohio.
 May 31. Rev. Daniel J. Wetzel, Frackville, Pa.

JUNE 6. Rev. Geo. F. Hegele, Linton, Ind.
 June 6. Rev. Dr. S. L. Whitmore, Forreston, Ill.
 June 6. Rev. V. G. Hartman, New Providence, Pa.
 June 13. Rev. Geo. E. Plott, Thomasville, N. C.
 June 13. Rev. O. J. Zechiel, Bloomville, Ohio.
 June 18. Rev. E. H. Lutterbein, Glassboro, N. J.
 June 27. Rev. E. N. Evans, Kansas City, Mo.
 June 27. Rev. Geo. A. Ehrgood, Hollidaysburg, Pa.
 June 27. Rev. Matthew Spinka, Bohemian Ch., Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
 June 27. Rev. E. H. Zechman, Manheim, Pa.
 June 29. Rev. Wm. H. Cogley, Freeburg, Pa.

JULY 1. Rev. Paul F. Schaffner, Hummelstown, Pa.
 July 4. Rev. Geo. A. Laubach, Howertown, Pa.
 July 11. Rev. David Grether, Neillsville, Wis.
 July 11. Rev. Wm. G. Klein, Titusville, Pa.
 July 11. Rev. Lloyd Anderson, Burkettsville, Md.
 July 13. Rev. C. G. Bachman, Osterburg, Pa.
 July 13. Rev. N. E. Vitz, Sherwood, Ohio.
 July 18. Rev. Walter Stuckey, Zion's, near Indianapolis, Ind.
 July 25. Rev. W. D. Marburger, Denver, Pa.
 July 25. Rev. L. Stolte, Decatur, Ind.
 July 29. Rev. Roy Moorhead, Lone Tree, Iowa.

AUGUST 1. Rev. H. L. Miller, Boyerstown, Pa.
 August 1. Rev. J. R. Rothermel, East Petersburg, Pa.
 August 1. Rev. H. B. Robrock, Defiance, Ohio.
 August 1. Rev. G. F. Wicher, Rice Lake, Wis.
 August 8. Rev. J. B. Schwartz, Liscomb, Iowa.
 August 8. Rev. Emil Buehrer, Oshkosh, Wis.
 August 15. Rev. Guy P. Bready, Taneytown, Md.
 August 15. Rev. M. E. Graber, Tiffin, Ohio.
 August 22. Rev. Morgan A. Peters, Piqua, Ohio.
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 September 13. Mt. Vernon, Wis., Rev. W. T. Grosshuesch.
 September 20. Bethany, Ephrata, Pa., Rev. A. S. Meek.
 September 20. Ebenezer Mission, Sheboygan, Wis.

OCTOBER 23. Massanutten Academy, Woodstock, Va.
 October 25. Arndts, near Bethlehem, Pa., Rev. H. J. Ehret.

NOVEMBER 22. Bethel, Baltimore, Md., Rev. W. R. Strietelmeier.

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APRIL 30. Greenville, Ohio, Rev. J. P. Alden.

MAY 2. Grace, Buffalo, N. Y., Rev. O. H. Dorschel.
 May 9. Harvard, Neb., Rev. F. P. Franke.
 May 9. Yukon, Pa., Rev. Dr. D. B. Lady.
 May 9. Waukon, Iowa, Rev. A. J. Stuebbe.

May 16. Zion's, Lehigh, Pa., Rev. E. S. Noll.
 May 23. Lytton, Ohio, Rev. D. E. Martz.

JUNE 20. First, Toledo, O., Rev. Karl A. Stein.
 June 27. Ludlow, Iowa.
 July 25. St. Paul's, Derry, Pa., Rev. W. H. Landis.

AUGUST 8. S. S. Building, Mt. Hermon, Philadelphia, Rev. Dr. C. B. Alspach.
 August 8. S. S. Building, Bethany, York, Pa., Rev. Dr. G. S. Sorber.

DEDICATIONS

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SEPTEMBER 5. Conestoga, Pa., Rev. H. S. Shelley.*
 September 10. Marion, O., First, Rev. H. J. Herber.*
 September 20. Medina, N. Dak., Rev. R. Birk.
 September 30. Bluffton, Ohio, Rev. W. H. Lahr.

OCTOBER 4. Huntingdon, Pa., Rev. D. E. Masters.*
 October 4. Hill Ch., Lebanon Co., Pa.*
 October 11. Temvik, N. Dak.
 October 18. Landisburg, Pa., Rev. Thos. Matterness.*
 October 18. St. Peter's, Easton, Pa., Rev. W. H. Mader.*
 October 25. Flicksville, Pa., Rev. H. H. Long.*
 October 25. Ada, Ohio, Rev. A. G. Gekeler.

NOVEMBER 1. New Jerusalem, Penryn, Pa., Rev. Geo. B. Raezer.
 November 22. Lawton, Iowa, Rev. L. S. Faust.
 November 22. St. John's, Philadelphia, Pa., Rev. Chas. E. Meyers.*
 November 22. St. Paul's, Birdsboro, Pa., Rev. M. L. Herbein.
 November 22. Grace, Hanover, Pa., Rev. S. P. Mauger.*
 November 30. Fostoria, Ohio, Rev. O. W. King.

DECEMBER 13. Union Ch., Petersburg, Pa.*
 December 13. Christ, Alburtis, Pa., Rev. F. P. LaRose.*
 December 13. St. John's, Tamaqua, Pa., Rev. J. M. Mengel.
 December 20. Ebenezer, Sheboygan, Wis., Rev. H. P. Ley.

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JANUARY 24. First, Lebanon, Pa., Rev. Dr. W. D. Hap-pel.
 January 24. Williard Ch., Akron, O., Rev. Dr. S. H. Isen-berg.
 January 24. East Bernstadt, Ky., St. John's.
 January 31. Grace, Chicago, Ill., Rev. E. S. Hay.
 January 31. Norwood, Cincinnati, O.*

FEBRUARY 7. St. Matthew's, Philadelphia, Pa., Rev. U. O. Silvius.*
 February 7. St. Paul's, Selinsgrove, Pa., Rev. L. S. Drum-heller.
 February 21. Mt. Vernon, Wis., Rev. W. T. Grosshuesch.
 February 21. St. Andrew's, Penbrook, Pa., Rev. W. R. Hartzell.

MARCH 14. St. Paul's, Buffalo, N. Y., Rev. W. A. Sett-lage.
 March 21. Weatherly, Pa., Rev. Dr. A. M. Masonheimer.
 March 21. St. Paul's, W. Hazleton, Pa., Rev. C. E. Cor-rell.

APRIL 11. Second, Cleveland, O., Rev. F. W. Leich, Sup-ply.
 April 11. First German, Milwaukee, Wis., Rev. Dr. H. C. Nott.

April 11. Jeffersonville, Ind., Rev. F. E. Lahr.
 April 18. Bethel, Baltimore, Rev. W. H. Strietelmeier.
 April 21. S. S. Building, St. Mark's, Easton, Pa., Rev. G. R. Poetter.
 April 25. Ladiesburg, Pa., Rev. Paul Yoder.*

MAY 2. Salem, Lithopolis, O., Rev. E. M. Aneshanslv.*
 May 2. Salem, Allentown, Pa., Rev. Dr. J. M. G. Darms.
 May 2. First, Indianapolis, Ind., Rev. F. Engelmann.
 May 9. St. Peter's Union Ch., Red Cross, Pa., Rev. G. E. Kopenhaver.

May 16. Mt. Lebanon Ch., Wills Creek, Pa., Rev. A. S. Kresge.*
 May 16. St. John's, Archbold, O., Rev. J. J. Vogt.
 May 23. St. Peter's, Rittersville, Pa., Rev. J. S. Bartholomew.
 May 23. Bethany, Ephrata, Pa., Rev. A. S. Meck.
 May 30. Bethany, Salem, Ore., Rev. Wm. Lienkaemper.
 JUNE 6. Howertown, Pa., Rev. Geo. J. Laubach.*
 June 6. Catawissa, Pa., St. John's, S. S. Room, Rev. C. E. Rupp.*
 June 6. St. Mark's, Pochontas, Pa., Rev. A. S. Kresge.
 June 13. St. David's Union Ch., Pleasant Hill, Pa., Rev. J. H. Hartman.
 June 20. Salem, near Hagerstown, Md., Rev. Dr. C. Clever.*
 JULY 4. St. Paul's, Kutztown, Pa., S. S. Building, Rev. Geo. B. Smith.
 July 4. Union Church, Pleasant Valley, Md.*
 July 11. Grace, Troxelville, Pa., Rev. H. G. Snyder.
 July 25. Trinity, Watsonstown, Pa., Rev. P. A. DeLong.*
 AUGUST 15. Harvard, Neb., Rev. F. P. Franke.
 August 22. St. Marys, O., Rev. F. H. Rupnow.
 August 22. Cosby, Mo., Rev. F. C. Schnuelle.

ANNIVERSARIES

1914

SEPTEMBER 6. Twenty-fifth of ordination, Rev. Dr. Lewis Robb, Wilkinsburg, Pa.
 September 13. Twenty-fifth of S. S., Calvary, Reading, Pa., Rev. A. V. Casselman.
 September 22. Twenty-fifth of pastorate of Rev. L. Selzer, First, Cincinnati, O.
 September 27. Fortieth of ordination of Rev. K. H. Gundlach, Warren, Pa.
 September Fiftieth of Greenville, O., Rev. J. Pierce Alden.
 OCTOBER 4. Twenty-fifth of Faith Church, Lancaster, Pa., Rev. D. G. Glass.
 October 10. Twenty-fifth of pastorate of Rev. J. B. Braun, Duncan, Neb.
 October 10. Twenty-fifth of ordination of Dr. J. C. Leonard, Lexington, N. C.
 October 11. Thirty-eighth of pastorate of Rev. Dr. Wm. A. Hale, First, Dayton, O.
 October 11. Twenty-fifth of Jerusalem Ch., Buffalo, N. Y., Rev. H. M. Gersmann.
 October 15. W. M. S. of Interior Synod, twenty-fifth.
 October 16. Seventy-fifth, Weisport, Pa., Rev. I. M. Peck.
 October 18. One hundredth of S. S., Carlisle, Pa., Rev. E. L. Coblenz.
 October 18. Twenty-fifth of Christ Ch., Baltimore, Md., Rev. J. L. Barnhart.
 October One hundred eightieth, Egypt, Pa., Rev. Geo. P. Stein.
 October 25. One hundred seventy-fifth, Strausstown, Pa., Rev. A. Leiby.
 NOVEMBER 1. Fiftieth of ordination of Rev. John G. Noss, New Holland, Pa.
 November 15. Twenty-fifth of ordination of Rev. Geo. H. Miller, Nescopeck, Pa.
 November 22. Twenty-ninth of S. S., St. Andrew's, Reading, Pa., Rev. E. H. Romig.
 November 29. Thirtieth of Miss. Soc., Leacock, Pa., Rev. H. J. Hillegass.

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JANUARY 1. Thirty-eighth of St. John's, Emaus, Pa., Rev. D. E. Schaeffer.
 January 3. Twenty-fifth of S. S., Christ Ch., Norristown, Pa., Rev. B. Bates.
 January 3. Thirtieth of Miss. Soc., Emmanuel's, Hanover, Pa., Rev. A. S. Dechant.
 January 3. Twenty-fifth of Young People's Society, St. John's, Reading, Pa., Rev. T. H. Leinbach.
 January Twenty-fifth, Zion's, Baltimore, Md.
 January 14. Forty-seventh of pastorate of Rev. Dr. J. S. Kieffer, Hagerstown, Pa.

FEBRUARY 7. Thirty-third of Y. P. S. C. E., Grace, Philadelphia, Pa., Rev. U. C. Gutelius.
 February 14. Fiftieth, St. Paul's, Philadelphia, Pa., Rev. P. Sommerlatte.

MARCH 7. Twenty-fifth of ordination of Rev. F. Kalbfleisch, Chicago, Ill.
 March 14. Thirty-first, St. Stephen's, Reading, Pa., Rev. Thos. W. Dickert.

APRIL 11. Twenty-fifth of Brotherhood, Grace, Philadelphia, Rev. U. C. Gutelius.
 April 11. Twenty-fifth W. M. S., Christ, Bethlehem, Pa., Rev. J. R. Stein.

MAY 9. Twenty-fifth, St. Thomas, Reading, Pa., Rev. L. M. Erdman.
 May 9. Fiftieth, Mohrsville, Pa., Rev. J. K. Stoudt.
 May 16. Thirty-fifth of pastorate of Rev. Dr. J. H. Prugh, Grace, Pittsburgh, Pa.
 May 22. Thirtieth of W. M. S., Hill Ch., Annville, Pa., Rev. W. F. DeLong.
 May 23. Twenty-fifth of St John's, Coopersburg, Pa., Rev. T. M. Kressley.
 May 23. One hundred fiftieth, Emanuel, Hanover, Pa., Rev. A. S. Dechant.

JUNE 13. Fortieth of ordination of Dr. J. I. Good, held at Heidelberg, York, Pa.
 June One hundredth, Jerusalem Ch., New Philadelphia, O., Rev. E. Fledderjohann.
 June 20. Fiftieth, Bethany, Schleswig, Wis., Rev. C. Schroer.
 June 27. Forty-second of S. S. of St. Paul's, Reading, Pa., Rev. Dr. C. E. Creitz.
 June 27. Fiftieth, Zion's, New Bremen, O., Rev. R. W. Bloemker.

AUGUST 1. Thirtieth of pastorate, Rev. Dr. F. S. Lindaman, Littlestown, Pa.
 August 1. Thirty-fourth of Zion's, Reading, Pa., Rev. C. H. Gramm.
 August Fiftieth, New Middletown, Ind., Rev. Dr. C. Schieler.
 August 15. Fiftieth pastorate of Rev. R. S. Appel, Molltown, Pa.
 August 22. Forty-second, Piqua, O., Rev. M. A. Peters.
 August 25. One hundred thirty-fifth of organization of Schoernersville, Pa., church, Rev. J. S. Bartholomew.
 August 29. Thirtieth of S. S., St. Bernard, O., Rev. Dr. A. Seyring.
 August 29. One hundred fiftieth, Maytown, Pa., Rev. W. J. Lowe.
 August 31. Fiftieth of ordination of Rev. T. F. Stauffer, Emporia, Kans.

MARRIAGES

1914

SEPTEMBER 16. Rev. M. E. Grove and Miss Susan M. Huber.
 September 18. Rev. Wm. F. Kosman and Miss Margaret Jacoby.
 September 27. Rev. Maurice Samson and Miss Mary Stauffer Eaches.
 OCTOBER 7. Rev. Wm. C. Lehmann and Miss Hannah Alma Schumpf.
 October Rev. Walter S. Rickardt and Miss Emma Engelmann.
 NOVEMBER 5. Rev. John W. Keener and Miss Gladys Deardorff.

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MARCH 3. Rev. J. Mori and Miss Cheyo Asada.
 MAY 23. Rev. Otto Zechiel and Miss Hazel Barber.
 May 23. Rev. R. P. Kuentzel and Miss Emma Binggeli.
 May 24. Rev. Jacob Elmer and Miss Fanny Kiewitt.
 May 25. Rev. Orris W. Haulman and Miss Martha Sievert.
 JUNE 5. Rev. G. L. Berlepp and Miss Rosa Miller.
 June 17. Rev. Daniel J. Wetzel and Miss Nellie Ruth Berie.

June 24. Rev. F. R. Casselman and Miss Marjery Davenport.
 June 30. Rev. F. W. Hoernemann and Miss Huldah Heuser.
 AUGUST 4. Rev. Edmund Erb and Mrs. Helen Schwartz.
 August 11. Rev. M. E. Beck and Miss Ruth Forwick.
 August 26. Rev. W. Lloyd Anderson and Miss Fannie Emma Clapp.

DEATHS

1914

SEPTEMBER 13. Rev. H. K. Binkley, Reading, Pa.
 September 16. Rev. John F. Mackley, Fairfield, Pa.
 OCTOBER 16. Mrs. Christine Rettig, wife of Rev. J. H. Rettig, New Philadelphia, O.
 October 24. Rev. Calvin H. Schneider, Franklin, Wis.
 NOVEMBER 15. Rev. Jonas B. Shontz, Chambersburg, Pa.
 November 29. Rev. Paul G. Kluge, St. Paul, Minn.
 DECEMBER 14. Mrs. Nancy Reiter, widow of late Rev. C. H. Reiter, Huntingdon, Pa.
 December 25. Rev. Dr. Jacob B. Kerschner, Jersey City, N. J.

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JANUARY 2. Rev. Cosmos H. Herbst, West Hazleton, Pa.
 January 2. Mrs. Barbara K. Swander, wife of Rev. Dr. J. I. Swander, Tiffin, O.
 January 3. Rev. O. Muehlmeier, Plymouth, Wis.
 January 7. Rev. Paul Koesling, Alberta, Canada.
 FEBRUARY 14. Mrs. Marian E. Spangler, wife of Dr. H. T. Spangler, Philadelphia, Pa.
 February 21. Mrs. Elizabeth Kniest, widow of Rev. J. B. Kniest, Colorado Springs, Colo.
 MARCH 3. Rev. Geo. W. Roth, Boyertown, Pa.
 March 10. Rev. Dr. Henry M. Herman, Dayton, O.
 March 21. Mrs. Lydia A. Albright, wife of Rev. G. M. Albright, Lisbon, O.

March 26. Rev. J. C. J. Kurtz, Reading, Pa.
 March 29. Rev. F. H. W. Kuckhermann, New Knoxville, O.

APRIL 17. Rev. Tilghman Derr, Rohrerstown, Pa.
 April 23. Mrs. Mary S. Eschbach, widow of Rev. Dr. E. R. Eschbach, Frederick, Md.
 April 29. Mrs. Keller, wife of Rev. J. A. Keller, Wadsworth, O.

MAY 6. Mrs. Josephine Dudycha, wife of Rev. James Dudycha, Chicago, Ill.
 May 10. Rev. J. Roeck, Kiel, Wis.
 May 14. Rev. C. Scheel, Zelenople, Pa.
 May 30. Mrs. Kuentzler, widow of Rev. F. Kuentzler, Wabasha, Minn.
 May 30. Rev. Dr. Joseph B. Shumaker, Bellevue, O.

JUNE 4. Mrs. Annie E. Edmonds, wife of Rev. L. C. Edmonds, Creston, O.

June 5. Mrs. Amelia Fisher, widow of Rev. R. A. Fisher, Sunbury, Pa.
 June 18. Mrs. Catharine Ann Zechiel, wife of Rev. F. E. Zechiel, Apple Creek, O.

June 21. Rev. Philip Ruhl, Ft. Wayne, Ind.
 June 22. Rev. Dr. D. E. Schoedler, Allentown, Pa.

JULY 2. Mrs. Camille Stahr, wife of Rev. I. S. Stahr, Oley, Pa.

July 1. Mrs. Annie Welker, wife of Rev. H. A. Welker, Faith, N. C.

July 22. Rev. E. M. Adair, Ph.D., Tiffin, O.

AUGUST 19. Rev. Dr. Frederick Leich, Jackson, Wis.
 August. Rev. J. C. Ochsner, Young America, Minn.

SEPTEMBER 3. Rev. J. A. Wickert, Reamstown, Pa.
 September. Mrs. Sallie T. Hoffmeier, Hagerstown, Md.
 September 4. Licentiate Edw. Wentz, Plymouth, Wis.

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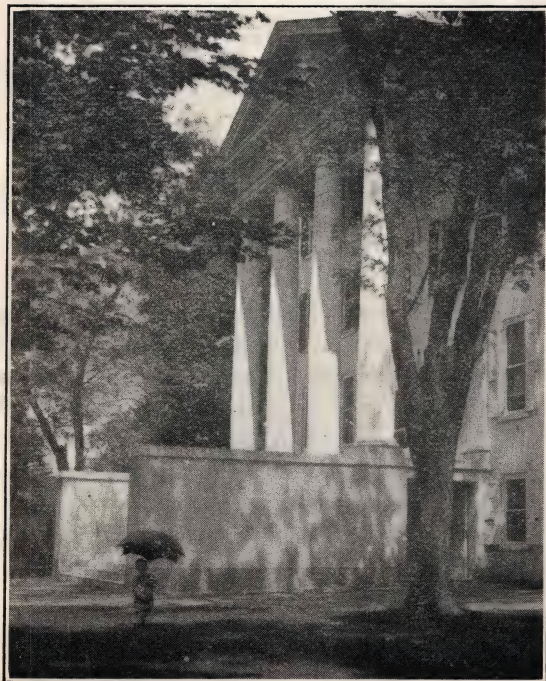
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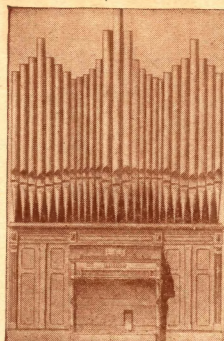
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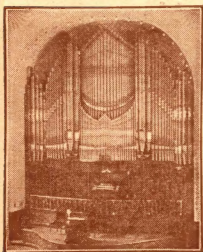
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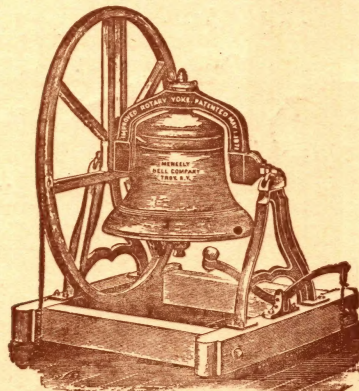
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